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Received Date	Request ID	Requester Name	Organization	Request Description	Closed Date	Final Disposition
10/3/2017	2018-AMS-00025-F	Cole Jason	The Cornucopia Institute	All documents and correspondence (this would include any notes, presentations, photographs, videos, audio recordings, phone logs, calendars, and other material either in hard copy or electronic form) that discuss or describe Aurora Organic Dairy of Boulder, CO (for any other corporate owned or contracted location) "Aurora Dairy", "Aurora", "AOD", or any other corporate permutation. All materials referenced above to or from or that discuss or in any way refer to Mark Pepperzak, Mark Retzlaff, Scott McGinty, Sonja Tuttle, or any other employee or officer affiliated with Aurora Organic Dairy or any related corporate entity. This would include any legal counsel engaged by these individuals or the aforementioned corporate entities. All documents that discuss or describe the Colorado Department of Agriculture organic certification program. (Date Range for Record Search: From 5/1/2017 To 10/3/2017)	12/21/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
10/3/2017	2018-AMS-00051-F	Richman Kim	Richman Law Group	All underlying documents, presentations, notes, phone logs, calendars, photographs, videos, audio recordings, reports, letters, communications, including but not limited to electronic communications, and other materials that were considered in the NOP's review and final determination as issued on September 27, 2017, relating to the complaint initially filed on May 2, 2017, by The Cornucopia Institute against Aurora High Plains Dairy in Colorado ("Aurora") and the Colorado Department of Agriculture ("CDA") as filed by your department as NOPC-253/25-17. This request includes: The audit of the CDA that the NOP conducted on-site in June of 2017, including but not limited to the interviews with CDA staff that specifically addressed Aurora livestock and pasture management practices. The audit the NOP completed on-site audit at Aurora's facility including but not limited to: the review of Aurora's dairy operation and practices and the detailed evaluation of Aurora records. Verification that ruminant livestock at Aurora solely graze on certified organic pasture throughout the entire grazing season for the geographic region. Verification that outside the grazing season, ruminants have free access to the outdoors year-round except under specified conditions (e.g. inclement weather). Verification that during the grazing season all livestock obtain a significant amount of their feed and nutrition from grazing, that supplemental feeding does not exceed 70% of the quantity of feed (measured as dry matter intake or "DMI") that the livestock consume, and that at least 30% of the feed (measured as DMI) is obtained from grazing on organic pasture.	12/21/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
10/ /2017	2018-AMS-00068-F	Dillon Lauren	Democratic National Committee	A log of all FOIA requests received by the USDA (and all agencies, offices, and components within USDA) from January 1, 2017, to the present. For each FOIA request, please specify the tracking number, the requester's name, the requester's organization, the request date, a description of the records requested, and the status of the request. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2017 To 10/ /2017)	10/5/2017	Granted in Full
10/ /2017	2018-AMS-00070-F	Mathews Richard	Western Organic Dairy Producers	The following documents relative to NOPC-253-17 Aurora High Plains Dairy: 1. All audit investigation and inspection schedule(s) plan(s) and itinerary regarding Aurora and the Colorado Department of Agriculture (CDA). 2. All reports of audit investigation and inspection regarding Aurora and CDA. 3. All audit investigation and inspection findings regarding Aurora and CDA. 4. All exhibits obtained from CDA, Aurora, and Aurora's attorneys before, during, and after the on-site visits to Aurora and CDA. 5. All email correspondence regarding Aurora, its attorneys, and CDA. 6. All meeting schedules. 7. All meeting notes for meetings with CDA, Aurora, and Aurora's attorneys. 8. All meeting notes for meetings with and among NOP staff and/or other USDA personnel (including upper management and the Office of General Counsel) regarding Aurora and CDA. 9. All telephone call records for all USDA personnel communicating with CDA, Aurora, and Aurora's attorneys. 10. All telephone call records for all NOP staff communicating with other USDA personnel (including upper management and the Office of General Counsel) regarding Aurora and CDA. 11. All USDA written correspondence regarding Aurora's attorneys and CDA. 12. All records of audit investigation, inspection, and pasture training for those who conducted the on-site visits to Aurora and CDA. (Date Range for Record Search: From 5/2/2017 To 10/ /2017)	12/22/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
10/ /2017	2018-AMS-00080-F	Alger John	Alger Farms, Inc.	Request for the report created by Scott Hartfield to document his visit and his findings in June 2017 at Green Circle Farms regarding misbranding. I would also like reports by Tony Velasquez from May 22, 2017, regarding the issue of misbranding. (Date Range for Record Search: From 5/1/2017 To 9/ /2017)	11/30/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
10/6/2017	2018-AMS-00137-F	Ellis James	Grimes County Sheriff's Office	All records pertaining to the Grimes County Fair Association, including a detailed list of services provided for the aforementioned association, copies of all invoices billed, and copies of all payments received for services provided, including checks, money orders, or cashier's checks. (Date Range for Record Search: From 6/1/2015 To 10/6/2017)	10/10/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
10/12/2017	2018-AMS-00248-F	Reed Rich	Nerd Wallet	Request: 1. All reports, emails, other correspondence, and documents concerning Productos Agropecuarios VISA S.A.; 2. All documents concerning allegations or findings that this company marketed conventional pineapples as organic; and any investigations and/or enforcement actions concerning them; 3. Identifies to be included in the documents responding to this request and not redacted.	10/25/2017	Other Reasons - No Records

10/18/2017	2018-AMS-00430-F	Touchton, Margaret	Democrat c Senatorial Campaign Committee	Correspondence and records related to Rep. Matt Rosendale and companies affiliated with his name.	10/19/2017	Other Reasons - No Records
10/18/2017	2018-GPSA-00367-F	Lacarra, Toribio	-	1/1/13-10/17/17 REP DAVID VALADAO	3/30/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
10/18/2017	2018-GPSA-00372-F	Lacarra, Toribio	-	Triple V Dairy Valadado Dairy Valadado Brothers Dairy 12/1/13-10/17/17	3/30/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
10/19/2017	2018-AMS-00414-F	Kru,ak William	MILES & STOCKBRIDGE P.C.	All documents and correspondence related to NOP Appeal APL-0331-17	11/8/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
10/19/2017	2018-AMS-00413-F	Cole, Jason	The Cornucopia Institute	All records that discuss or describe any adverse actions or enforcement actions taken proposed or considered against any NOP accredited certifier. (Date Range for Record Search: From 10/12/2012 To 10/19/2017)	7/31/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
10/23/2017	2018-AMS-00455-F	Kramer, Harvey	Kramer Law LLC	Copies of complete files and all documents in your possession custody or control related to the actual or potential claims of Dal p Singh Nijjar and VK Nijjar Farms LLC and otherwise related to raisins delivered by Dal p Singh Nijjar and VK Nijjar Farms LLC to handlers that were placed in reserves for the account of the Raisin Administrative Committee including all contracts agreements notices receipts and correspondences whether in paper format or electronically stored. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2002 To 12/31/2010)	12/11/2017	Granted in Full
10/23/2017	2018-AMS-00475-F	Campaigne, William	-	12/11/2011 To 9/1/2017 REDROCK RATTLE SNAKE VACCINE for Doctor Scott Taylor D.V.M. senior Biologic Epidemiologist center 515-337-6203 request any reported adverse events for Red Rock Rattle Snake Canine Vaccine (Date Range for Record Search: From 12/11/2011 To 09/01/2017)	10/25/2017	Other Reasons - Not Agency Record
10/2 /2017	2018-AMS-00491-F	Campbell, Chris	Environmental Working Group	Request for the same records provided in response to FOIA Request 2017-AMS-01859-F.	10/2 /2017	Granted in Full
10/2 /2017	2018-AMS-00503-F	[REDACTED]	-	Copy of Report of Investigation regarding a matter in Employee Relations Branch.	10/25/2017	Denied in Full
10/25/2017	2018-AMS-00515-F	Simburski, Brian	Niagara Consulting	1. The most recent invoice received from FedEx for "Sample Hauling Services" in the "Central Arizona Route" under the USDA AMS Cotton and Tobacco Program (This service was out to bid in August under Solicitation AG- 7 0-S-17-0222 but it was decided that Federal Express would be used). 2. The most recent invoice received from FedEx for "Sample Hauling Services" in "Corpus Christi Route" under the USDA AMS Cotton and Tobacco Program (This service was out to bid in June under Solicitation AG- 7 0-S-17-0018 but it was decided that Federal Express would be used).	12/11/2017	Granted in Full
10/25/2017	2018-AMS-00533-F	Campbell, Chris	Environmental Working Group	1. Copies of all records created including memos transcripts work orders etc. and emails sent by or received by or copied to any employees or contractors of the USDA PDP program that included discussion of the Environmental Working Group (EWG) EWG's Shopper's Guide to Pesticide in Produce (often called the Dirty Dozen and/or Clean Fifteen). 2. All correspondence between PDP Staff and Monsanto or CropLife. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2015 To 10/25/2017)	11/27/2017	Other Reasons - No Records
10/26/2017	2018-AMS-00561-F	Quinn, Virginia	State Bar of Texas	The State Bar of Texas seeks: 1. confirmation of contact between Pauline of PACA and Marco Morales of Rio Produce; 2. copies of any written messages texts e-mails notes comments to be handwritten or recorded in any form or any notations of any kind relative to information from "Pauline" to any person with regard to this case (Paul Obst Farm v. Rio Produce LLC); 3. any other documents regarding this case; any record of contact by any other person and Pauline with reference to this case. Additional copies of the following are not necessary: 1. Order on Reconsideration (dated 1/19/2017) by William G. Jensen; 2. The Original Petition submitted by Richard A. Maza; 3. The Informal Complaint filed by Paul Obst Farm. The Complaint (stamped as received by USDA 11/27/2015) 5. The Letter from Rio Produce dated 6/2/2016 & (all documents filed with the court) (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2017 To 10/26/2017)	11/2 /2017	Granted in Full
10/31/2017	2018-AMS-00686-F	Neidenbach, Stephan	-	A copy of the Earthbound Farms Organic System Plan including the Pest Disease and Weed Management form.	11/2/2017	Other Reasons - No Records
10/31/2017	2018-AMS-00637-F	[REDACTED]	-	1. Allegations made against me by [REDACTED] on August 30th 2017. 2. Investigation into my concerns against [REDACTED] made on September 9th 2017. 3. Investigation regarding ulterior motives related to the Pathways Internship Program and the fact that [REDACTED] was in violation of the program by not being enrolled in classes during part of the spring 2017 semester made on September 9th 2017. 4. Investigation regarding my timesheet hours and maxiflex made on September 7th 2017.	10/31/2017	Denied in Full
10/31/2017	2018-AMS-00646-F	O'Connor, Anahad	New York Times	A complete search of all filing systems and locations for all records maintained by your agency pertaining to: Any and all correspondence e-mails documents communications letters memos that were sent to or from Tia M. Rains executive director of the Egg Nutrition Center and 1. Dominik D. Alexander Principal Epidemiologist EpidStat Institute dalexander@epidstat.com dalexander@exponent.com; and 2. Douglas L. Weed GLW Consulting Services [REDACTED] (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2015 To 10/31/2017)	12/18/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
10/31/2017	2018-AMS-00663-F	Ainsworth, John	Ainsworth, Clancy	Request for the Federal Employment Identification Number (commonly "EIN" or "FEIN") reported by a licensee under the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act ("PACA"). The PACA licensee is as follows: Name - Royaltalo LLC PACA License - 201601 Date Issued - 11/5/2015	11/28/2017	Granted in Full
11/1/2017	2018-AMS-00682-F	Davies, Jessica	Dow Jones	- How many cloned animals are used in the US meat industry (in total or in 2016/17) - What percentage of the meat produced in the US comes from cloned animals or their offspring (2016/17 specific figures or to date - whichever is available) - What percentage of dairy products produced in the US come from cloned animals or their offspring (2016/17 specific figures or to date - whichever is available) - What percentage of exported meat or dairy goods from the US come from cloned animals or their offspring (2016/17 specific figures or to date - whichever is available) - Are there any restrictions around animal cloning in the US agricultural industry (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2016 To 11/1/2017)	11/15/2017	Other Reasons - No Records

11/1/2017	2018-AMS-00700-F	Shirer Grant	-	Information on how many farms in Georgia have transitioned from conventional to organic agriculture and been certified as organic over the last 5-10 years (year-by-year data would be great if possible). If the information isn't available for Georgia, the southeast U.S., or the whole U.S., would also be very helpful. If you're able to include any trends in the size of farms that are being certified would also be much appreciated. Perhaps there is a list of all the organic certified farms in GA/U.S., that includes the size and when they were certified. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2007 To 11/1/2017)	11/15/2017	Other Reasons - Records sought are currently available at a USDA site.
11/7/2017	2018-AMS-00633-F	Collins DeVonne	-	Information related to an AMS project. (Date Range for Record Search: From 3/20/2017 To 10/22/2017)	11/7/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn
11/9/2017	2018-AMS-00845-F	Reeves John	Pink Lady® AMERICA L.L.C.	Copies of all USDA Export Form Certificates including at least all FV-205 Certificates and FV-E205 Certificates for exports to Canadian destinations and including at least all FV-207 Certificates and FV-E207 Certificates for Non-Canadian exports which export form certificates involve. Identify or describe the export of Pink Lady® Brand apples or Crisp Pink variety apples or Masiu Pink variety apples from the United States to any other country. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2017 To 10/31/2017)	1/18/2018	Granted in Full
11/9/2017	2018-AMS-00863-F	Cole Jason	The Cornucopia Institute	All documents and correspondence (this would include any notes, presentations, photographs, videos, audio recordings, phone logs, calendars and other material either in hard copy or electronic form) that discuss or describe Aurora Organic Dairy of Boulder, CO (for any other corporate owned or contracted location) "Aurora Dairy", "Aurora", "AOD" or any other corporate permutation. All materials referenced above to or from or that discuss or in any way refer to Mark Pepperzak, Mark Reizdorf, Scott McGinty, Sonja Tuttle or any other employee or officer affiliated with Aurora Organic Dairy or any related corporate entity. This would include any legal counsel engaged by these individuals or the aforementioned corporate entities. All documents that discuss or describe the Colorado Department of Agriculture organic certification program. (Date Range for Record Search: From 10/1/2017 To 11/8/2017)	2/2/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
11/9/2017	2017-GIPSA-06578-F	Birdwell Kris	Stogdill & Birdwell P.C.	Bond Claim #105322-2-A-Request copies of all reports, summaries, witness statements or other materials prepared by your agency during the investigation of this claim.	-	-
11/13/2017	2018-AMS-00879-F	Maheshwari Sepna	The New York Times	Documents pertaining to the marketing activities of the Hass Avocado Board (hereafter referred to as "the Records") specifically: (1) Documents between Jan. 1, 2013 and Sept. 30, 2013 associated with the formation of the "Avocados from Mexico" marketing agency and the financial and administrative involvement of the Hass Avocado Board with that group (2) Documents between Oct. 1, 2011 and March 31, 2015 associated with the Hass Avocado Board's involvement with the Avocados from Mexico Super Bowl television commercial and promotional efforts to support the advertisement (3) Email correspondence between Hass Avocado Board employees and Avocados from Mexico during the period Jan. 1, 2016 and March 31, 2017 that contain the keywords: "brand ambassadors", "social media influencers" and "Trump administration" (4) Documents between Jan. 1, 2016 and Nov. 10, 2017 associated with how consumers are identified and targeted with messages from the Hass Avocado Board on Facebook and Instagram, including keywords and external data used to reach them (5) Documents between Jan. 1, 2016 and Nov. 10, 2017 associated with the responsibilities and compensation of medical doctors and registered dietitians who conducted work for SaboresUnidos.com and LoveOneToday.com in that period (6) Email correspondence between Hass Avocado Board employees and marketing agencies during Jan. 1, 2017 and Nov. 10, 2017 that contain the keywords: "weight management" and "Super Bowl" (7) Documents from Jan. 1, 2017 through Nov. 10, 2017 associated with the identification and hiring of bloggers and other social media influencers for	12/20/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/13/2017	2018-GIPSA-00895-F	Ruiz Aleida	-	any of the following categories of documents submitted by Inspectorate America Corporation to the Department of Agriculture's Grain Inspection Packers and Stockyards Administration, including but not limited to submissions to the Federal Grain Inspection Service, during the time period of April 1, 2016 to November 1, 2016. Any documents referencing or referring to Grain Elevators located at 1500 S Main St., Galena Park, TX 77577 and/or 75 Buford St., Beaumont, TX 77701 including: Certificates of Analysis, Inspection Reports and Invoices. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2016 To 11/1/2016)	12/21/2017	Other Reasons - No Records
11/13/2017	2018-AMS-00909-F	Van Saun Amy	Center for Food Safety	Any and all documents from September 1, 2016 to the present concerning the National Organic Program (NOP)'s proposed amendment to compost standards for organic production, including but not limited to: any changes to the organic regulations, 7 C.F.R. Part 205, regarding compost and/or soil amendments; the Notice of Proposed Rulemaking initially set in fall 2016 for April 2017; and the subsequent withdrawal of the proposed rulemaking action on June 28, 2017. (Date Range for Record Search: From 09/01/2016 To 11/1/2017)	12/7/2018	Granted/Denied in Part

11/1 /2017	2018-AMS-00933-F	Carr Ashley	The Greenfield Project	AI records and communications relating or referring to: 1. Any request or directive from a trade association; member of the legislature or executive branch; agricultural producer distributor wholesaler or retailer; or any other member of the public to the USDA (or any of its sub-agencies) to purchase agricultural goods commodities or products pursuant to its authority under the Commodity Credit Corporation Charter Act (15 U.S.C. 71 -c) Section 32 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1935 (1 U.S.C. 612c) ("Section 32"); 2. Any request or directive from a trade association; member of the legislature or executive branch; agricultural producer distributor wholesaler or retailer; or any other member of the public to the USDA (or any of its sub-agencies) to purchase agricultural goods commodities or products due to adverse or unusual market or price conditions or surplus supply. 3. Documentation records and/or communications that taken together are sufficient to identify all purchases by the USDA (or any of its sub-agencies) of any agricultural good commodity or product pursuant to its authority under Section 32. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2015 To 11/1 /2017)	12/18/2017	Other Reasons - No Response from Requester
11/15/2017	2018-AMS-00950-F	Neidenbach Stephan	-	Copies of all conflict-of-interest and outside income or employment disclosures for Professor David Mortenson who is currently serving on the National Organic Standards Board.	11/20/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/21/2017	2018-AMS-01040-F	Penzer Matthew	Humane Society of the United States	Request for the following agency records: 1. Minutes of all meetings of the American Egg Board ("AEB"). 2. AI agency records (including those of AEB) referencing or relating to a study being conducted by the World Wildlife Fund--and reported to be primarily funded by AEB--of the environmental impact and sustainability of various egg production housing models. Please construe the scope of this request broadly to cover all materials with information referencing or relating to the study including funding matters research proposals and review/response records study-related agreements (including timeline methodology and expected results financial responsibilities) and communications (whether by email or otherwise). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2017 To 11/21/2017)	1/19/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
11/22/2017	2018-AMS-01069-F	Neidenbach Stephan	-	Copies of all conflict-of-interest and outside income or employment disclosures for Sue Baird who is currently serving on the National Organic Standards Board.	12/ /2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/22/2017	2018-AMS-01070-F	Neidenbach Stephan	-	Copies of all conflict-of-interest and outside income or employment disclosures for Dan Seitz who is currently serving on the National Organic Standards Board.	12/ /2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/22/2017	2018-AMS-01072-F	Neidenbach Stephan	-	Copies of all conflict-of-interest and outside income or employment disclosures for A-dae Romero-Briones who is currently serving on the National Organic Standards Board.	12/ /2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/22/2017	2018-AMS-01073-F	Neidenbach Stephan	-	Copies of all conflict-of-interest and outside income or employment disclosures for Asa Bradman who is currently serving on the National Organic Standards Board.	12/ /2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/22/2017	2018-AMS-01074-F	Neidenbach Stephan	-	Copies of all conflict-of-interest and outside income or employment disclosures for Harriet Behar who is currently serving on the National Organic Standards Board.	12/ /2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/22/2017	2018-AMS-01075-F	Neidenbach Stephan	-	Copies of all conflict-of-interest and outside income or employment disclosures for Francis Thicke who is currently serving on the National Organic Standards Board.	12/ /2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/2 /2017	2018-AMS-01092-F	Beard Steven	Coran Ober P.C.	Request for: 1. Any and all PACA Licenses of Felix Produce Corp. 2. Any PACA License of Felix Produce Corp. that was in effect during the year 2008. 3. Any and all applications submitted by Felix Produce Corp in seeking a PACA license. . Documents evidencing the termination or expiration of the PACA license of Felix Produce Corp. 5. Any and all renewal applications submitted by Felix Produce Corp. in connection with any renewal of such PACA License. 6. Any and all documents relied on by the United States Department of Agriculture in determining the eligibility of Felix Produce Corp for a PACA License. 7. Any other materials in the possession of the United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Service relating to Felix Produce Corp. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2008 To 11/2 /2017)	12/28/2017	Granted/Denied in Part
11/27/2017	2018-AMS-01104-F	Dmytryk Rebecca	Wildlife Emergency Services	Amount paid to USDA Wildlife Services contracted hunters and trappers in San Luis Obispo County for time period requested. If the information exists please provide annual tallies description of services and amount paid per job. In other words we are looking for amount paid to hunter/trapper for killing of wild animals native and non-native. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/201 To 12/31/2016)	11/28/2017	Other Reasons - All Records Referred to Another Component or Agency
11/27/2017	2018-AMS-01110-F	Christine Haughey	Pollito	AI correspondence from Jan. 20th 2017 through the present involving efforts taken by the AMS to ensure that beef heart is not an allowable ingredient in school lunch ground beef. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/20/2017 To 11/27/2017)	2/1/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
11/27/2017	2018-AMS-01111-F	Daberkow Stan	-	Request a copy of a report titled: Recommended Strategies to Address Economic adulteration of Honey by Micheal Roberts dated June 30 2017 A report funded by the National Honey Board (Date Range for Record Search: From 06/01/2017 To 11/27/2017)	12/29/2017	Denied Full
11/29/2017	2018-AMS-01151-F	Neogash Azab	-	Records related to an AMS report.	11/30/2017	Denied Full
11/30/2017	2018-AMS-01174-F	Lobdel Tyler	Animal Legal Defense Fund	1. Copies of any documentation showing AMS scrutiny of its procurement of domestically produced beef fish pork poultry lamb or egg products 2. Copies of any AMS policy or guidance documents related to AMS's duties under or compliance with NEPA 3. Copies of any AMS policy or guidance documents related to USDA's CatEx of AMS actions from NEPA's environmental assessment requirements. . Copies of any AMS communication related to AMS's NEPA responsibilities and/or USDA's CatEx of AMS actions under NEPA. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/201 To 11/30/2017)	12/1 /2017	Other Reasons - No Records
11/30/2017	2018-AMS-01185-F	Anderson Stella	-	Any and all historical letters or comments submitted on the NOP aquaculture standards (draft) submitted by this shellfish association based in Washington State; or letters submitted by Taylor Shellfish or the Willapa Bay Grays Harbor Oyster Growers Association.	12/28/2017	Other Reasons - No Records

12/ /2017	2018-AMS-01223-F	English Jr. Charles	Davis Wright Tremaine LLP	1. Any documents regarding communications that Mary Ledman had with NASS or AMS with respect to dairy product price reporting. 2. Any documents or communications regarding statements by Eric Rasmussen (Market Administrator for Northwest FMMO) at a February 2007 meeting hosted by a Maryland Congressman and attended by dairy farmers regarding or discussing a statement attributed to Mr. Rasmussen that long-term export contracts were the reason that NASS NFDM prices were lower than spot market prices including documents that discuss what Mr. Rasmussen said the basis for the statement and who attended the February 2007 meeting. 3. Any communications that Gerald Carl n John Rahm Paul Rozwadowski Bryan Wolfe Diana Wolfe John Bunting Pete Hard n Timothy Rawlings Michael Schugg Ronald Hayek James Rehberg representatives of the National Family Farm Coalition or representatives of the National Farmers Union had with the USDA Inspector General NASS or AMS regarding dairy product price reporting in February and March 2007. 4. Any documents referring or relating to the statements made in Dairy Market News in the weeks from July 2006 through March 2007 regarding NFDM prices that California prices are affected by long-term contracts. 5. All documents and statements by the Inspector General leading to the conclusion in the IG Report issued in June 2007 that dairy product price reporting misreporting was unintentional. 6. A list of interviewees (other than legal counsel) and notes of interviews of such persons interviewed by the Inspector General from February through June 2007 regarding dairy	1/18/2018	Granted in Full
12/ /2017	2018-GPSA-01238-F	Cloud David	-	Please provide me copies of any correspondence emails and other documents related to granting of a waiver of inspect on requirements to AGrowStar LLC of 12389 Hwy 2 East Davisboro Ga 31018 under "the 15 000 metric ton or high quality specialty grain waiver" rules. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2016 To 12/0 /2017)	2/1 /2018	Granted/Denied in Part
12/5/2017	2018-AMS-01281-F	Jones Kevin	Christian Samson & Jones	1. Copies of all signed Annual Reports submitted to the U.S. Department of Agriculture Packers and Stockyards Administration by MMC Inc. on Form 3003. 2. Copies of all compliance audits that were conducted by the U.S. Department of Agriculture Packers and Stockyards Administration for MMC Inc. in 2011, 2012, 2013 and 2014. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2011 To 12/6/2017)	2/1/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
12/5/2017	2018-AMS-01243-F	Carman Hoy	Univ. of California-Davis	The most recent copy of the budget for each of the following federal marketing orders applicable to California commodities: Dates Grapes (California Desert) Kiwifruit Pistachios Raisins and Walnuts.	12/15/2017	Granted in Full
12/5/2017	2018-AMS-01262-F	Carnevale Barbara	-	1. Any and all FGIS and USDA records documentation reports and correspondence relating to the loading sampling testing and grading of a cargo of soybeans loaded at the Bunge Terminal in Destrehan La. on/about August 27-30 2017 including Inspection Log Moisture moisture log or any other moisture log Weight loading log Official export certificate Odor Log Grain Sample Tickets Grain Sample Envelopes SIMS Data Listing 2. Any and all FGIS and USDA records documentation reports and correspondence relating to any re-testing and re-grading including International Monitoring Report Grain Ticket Envelopes Grain Sample Tickets SIMS Data Listing BAR Odor Log 3. Copies of any correspondence between the shippers of the soybeans and the FGIS International Monitoring Program or any other office of the FGIS and a copy of the full contents of any FGIS file opened with respect to any correspondence or inquiry from the shippers of the soybeans including but not limited to communications testing reports certificates of inspection handwritten notes etc. If the sample is still available we hereby request that it be maintained and not discarded.	12/28/2017	Granted in Full
12/5/2017	2018-GPSA-01271-F	Cloud David	-	All documents emails and other communications about reports of possible violations of the U.S. Grain Standards Act and the Agricultural Marketing Act of 19 6 by the company AGrowStar LLC of 12389 Ga. Hwy 2 East of Davisboro GA 31018 (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2016 To 12/05/2017)	2/9/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
12/7/2017	2018-AMS-01308-F	George Marty	-	A copy of correspondence from Congressman Michael Grimm regarding policy legislation or regulations recommendations for executive branch positions or appointments or support or opposition to federal funding for programs projects or companies. I am not requesting documents related to Congressional casework. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/3/2013 To 1/5/2015)	12/8/2017	Other Reasons - Not Agency Record
12/8/2017	2018-AMS-01346-F	Lay Jared	Henkel & Cohen PA	A copy of the suspension order and/or suspension letter sent to Olympic Wholesale Produce Inc. regarding Olympic s PACA License.	12/28/2017	Granted in Full
12/11/2017	2018-AMS-01376-F	Crescini Steve	-	I am requesting the AMS FY17 Quarterly Delegated Examining (DE) Certificate usage report FY2017. The goal of the USDA was 80% DE certificate usage set January 15 2015. APHS felt well short of the goal in FY16 and I want to see if any improvement or the 80% USDA goal was met in FY17. The format should be: Number of DE Certificates Audited: Number of DE Certificates Unused: Thank You. (Date Range for Record Search: From 10/01/2016 To 09/30/2017)	2/20/2018	Granted in Full
12/12/2017	2018-AMS-01380-F	Kok Frans	Middleburg Christmas Tree Farm	Contact information of the nation's Christmas Tree Farmers.	1/10/2018	Denied in Full
12/13/2017	2018-AMS-01407-F	Veasey Will	Free Oil Field Quote	I am looking for a list of dairy farmers in North Dakota. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1.1.2012 To 12.11.2017)	12/1 /2017	Granted in Full
12/1 /2017	2018-AMS-01419-F	Iarson Ilex	Lemmer enterprises	I would like to receive an electronic copy that shows the square footages ease end dates and lease totals for all of the Agricultural Marketing Service locations in the state of Wyoming and Nebraska if possible. I would like to see the entire lease agreements for these locations if that is available also. It would be terrific to have this information by 1-10-2018. Thankst! (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2012 To 12/15/2017)	1/18/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
12/18/2017	2018-AMS-01478-F	Smith Steven	Simmons Olsen Law Firm P.C.	Complete and accurate copies of any contracts for the purchase of livestock by Marquis Cattle Company or Cory Marquis from Dennis Skinner and any contracts for sale of livestock by Marquis Cattle Company or Cory Marquis in which the livestock were purchased from Dennis Skinner to any individual or entity between November 2016 and May 2017. (Date Range for Record Search: From 11/1/2016 To 5/31/2017)	2/1/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn

12/20/2017	2018-AMS-01510-F	Van Saun, Amy	Center for Food Safety	Any and all documents related to USDA's actions delaying the effective date and current proposed rule to withdraw the Organic Livestock and Poultry Practice Rule (82 FR 59988 (Dec. 18 2017)). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2017 To 12/20/2017)	-	-
12/21/2017	2018-AMS-01519-F	Sandberg, Scott	Spencer Fane	Copies of all records relating to any Application for Registration under the Packers and Stockyards Act submitted by or on behalf of: 1. Charles Leonard; 2. Charles Leonard d/b/a Leonard Cattle Company; or 3. Great Plains Commission Co.	2/12/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
12/21/2017	2018-AMS-01520-F	Bunge, Jacob	Wall Street Journal	1. All minutes from meetings of the National Dairy Promotion & Research Board the National Fluid Milk Processor Board and Dairy Management Inc. from January 1, 2012 to present. 2. All records from January 1, 2011 to present that contain any of the following terms: "Soy milk"; "almond milk"; "rice milk"; "coconut milk"; "cashew milk"; "plant-based"; "vegan"; "Silk"; "Vita"; "Westsoy"; "Soy Dream"; "Blue Diamond"; "Almond Breeze"; "Califia"; "So Delicious"; "Pacific Foods"; 3. All records relating to annual and supplemental budgets of the National Dairy Promotion & Research Board the National Fluid Milk Processor Board and Dairy Management Inc. from 2012 to present. This request should be construed to include proposed budgets and expenditures, as well as USDA records relating to approvals or denials of the proposals. Including records from the National Dairy Promotion & Research Board the National Fluid Milk Processor Board and Dairy Management Inc. as well as the USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2012 To 12/21/2017)	-	-
12/26/2017	2018-AMS-01580-F	Wagner, A.Jay	-	A copy of your agency's FOIA request logs (including all sub-agencies and offices) including the following information fields: Date of request; Name of the person making the request; Requester organization (where applicable); Description of records requested; Current status / Final disposition (granted, denied, partially granted or administratively closed). (Date Range for Record Search: From 10/1/201 To 9/30/2016)	2/5/2018	Granted in Full
12/26/2017	2018-AMS-01581-F	Akunne-Oakara, Chinedu	-	I am requesting any information on me that your agency might hold	12/28/2017	Other Reasons - All Records Referred to Another Component or Agency
12/27/2017	2018-AMS-01597-F	Juska, William	Freehill Hogan and Mahar	Any and all FGIS and USDA records, documentation, reports and correspondence relating to the loading, sampling, testing and grading of this cargo of soybeans, including but not limited to: Inspection Log, Moisture log, or any other moisture log, Weight loading log, Official export certificate, Odor Log, Grain Sample Tickets, Grain Sample Envelopes, SIMS Data Listing. We do not know whether there was any re-testing and re-grading of the load, no file samples of the soybeans, either as a result of a Field Office quality assurance inspection of file samples or as a result of a review by the Board of Appeals and Review in Kansas City. However, if there was any re-testing then we hereby request any and all FGIS and USDA records, documentation, reports and correspondence relating to the re-testing and re-grading, including but not limited to: International Monitoring Report, Grain Ticket, Envelopes, Grain Sample Tickets, SIMS Data Listing, BAR Odor Log. Finally, if there has been any communication between the shippers of the soybeans, Bunge North America, Inc., and the FGIS International Monitoring Program, or any other office of the FGIS, we hereby request copies of any such correspondence and a copy of the full contents of any FGIS file opened with respect to any correspondence or inquiry from the shippers of the soybeans, including but not limited to: communications, testing reports, certificates of inspection, handwritten notes, etc. We also asked to be advised whether the reference samples taken at the port of loading are still in existence and available for possible review and/or further testing. If the sample is still available we hereby request that it be provided and not discarded.	1/19/2018	Denied in Full
1/2/2018	2018-AMS-01636-F	Brown, Christopher	Phelps Dunbar, LLP	M/V CAPTAIN ANTONIS - loaded US soybeans from Destrehan, Louisiana (Bunge North America); October 6, 2017. A complete copy of the USDA FGIS inspection file for the above noted shipment. The soybean cargo was loaded into a seven holds for discharge in China ports. We would like for the responsive documents to include all load port inspection reports, logs and quality certificates showing moisture contents, quality, weights, etc.	1/10/2018	Granted in Full
1/3/2018	2018-AMS-01654-F	Funk, LeAnne	Federal Employees Benefit Association	A current list of all Agricultural Marketing Service employees, in electronic format, sent via email address to Funk@fedempben.org, and include the following fields in a "Comma-separated format" (CSV) or Excel format: Employee Full Name, Agency Name and Location, Employee Work Email Address, Job Title, Salary.	2/1 /2018	Other Reasons - All Records Referred to Another Component or Agency
1/8/2018	2018-AMS-01763-F	Juska, William	Freehill Hogan and Mahar	M/V AFRICAN FINFOOT, which loaded a cargo of corn at the Bunge Terminal in Destrehan, Louisiana, about August 27-30, 2017. Any and all FGIS and USDA records, documentation, reports and correspondence relating to the loading, sampling, testing and grading of this cargo of corn, including but not limited to: Moisture log, or any other moisture log, Weight loading log, Official export certificate, Odor Log, Grain Sample Tickets, Grain Sample Envelopes, SIMS Data Listing. We do not know whether there was any re-testing and re-grading of the loading file samples of the corn, either as a result of a Field Office quality assurance inspection of file samples or as a result of a review by the Board of Appeals and Review in Kansas City. However, if there was any re-testing then we hereby request any and all FGIS and USDA records, documentation, reports and correspondence relating to the re-testing and re-grading, including but not limited to: International Monitoring Report, Grain Ticket, Envelopes, Grain Sample Tickets, SIMS DATA Listing, BAR Odor Log. Finally, if there has been any communication between the shippers or receivers of the corn and the FGIS International Monitoring Program, or any other office of the FGIS, we hereby request copies of any such correspondence and a copy of the full contents of any FGIS file opened with respect to any correspondence or inquiry from the shippers or receivers of the corn, including but not limited to: communications, testing reports, certificates of inspection, handwritten notes, etc. We also asked to be advised whether the reference samples taken at the port of loading are still in existence and available for possible review and/or further testing. If the sample is still	1/2 /2018	Granted in Full

1/8/2018	2018-AMS-01735-F	Shapiro Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	Records sought from the American Egg Board are: 1. All emails mentioning or referring to the living person Keegan Kuhn. 2. All emails mentioning or referring to the living person Kip Andersen. 3. All emails mentioning or referring to the production company A.U.M. Films. 4. All emails mentioning or referring to the documentary "Cowspiracy." 5. All emails mentioning or referring to the documentary "What the Health." 6. All emails mentioning or referring to the landmark 50-year study discussed in the Fall 2011 edition of Eggsaminer in which it was concluded that the egg industry has successfully reduced its environmental footprint. 7. All emails mentioning or referring to Meatless Mondays. 8. All other records mentioning or referring to the living person Keegan Kuhn. 9. All other records mentioning or referring to the living person Kip Andersen. 10. All other documents mentioning or referring to the production company A.U.M. Films. 11. All other records mentioning or referring to the documentary "Cowspiracy." 12. All other records mentioning or referring to the documentary "What the Health." 13. All other records mentioning or referring to the landmark 50-year study discussed in the Fall 2011 edition of Eggsaminer in which it was concluded that the egg industry has successfully reduced its environmental footprint. 14. All other records mentioning or referring to Meatless Mondays.		
1/8/2018	2018-AMS-01737-F	Shapiro Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	Records sought from the National Pork Board are: 1. Any and all emails mentioning or referring to the living person Keegan Kuhn. 2. Any and all emails mentioning or referring to the living person Kip Andersen. 3. Any and all emails mentioning or referring to the production company A.U.M. Films. 4. Any and all emails mentioning or referring to the documentary "Cowspiracy." 5. Any and all emails mentioning or referring to the documentary "What the Health." 6. Any and all emails mentioning or referring to "clean meat" aka "lab-grown meat" aka "cultured meat." 7. All other records mentioning or referring to the living person Keegan Kuhn. 8. All other records mentioning or referring to the living person Kip Andersen. 9. All other records mentioning or referring to the production company A.U.M. Films. 10. All other records mentioning or referring to the documentary "Cowspiracy." 11. All other records mentioning or referring to the documentary "What the Health." 12. All other records mentioning or referring to "clean meat" aka "lab-grown meat" aka "cultured meat." 13. Any and all records constituting preparatory materials for or notes generated from the National Pork Board Domestic Marketing (DM) Committee meeting that took place 7/29/17 - 7/30/17. 14. Any and all records constituting preparatory materials for or notes generated from the Ag Media Summit that took place 7/27/17 - 7/30/17. 15. Any and all records constituting preparatory materials for or notes generated from the National Pork Board 3rd Strategic Planning Task Force Meeting that took place 8/7/17 - 8/5/17. 16. Any and all records constituting preparatory materials for or notes generated from the National Pork Board	6/11/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
1/10/2018	2018-AMS-01794-F	Juska William	Freehill Hogan and Mahar	MIN HONG SHENG, which loaded a cargo of No. 2 or better soybeans at the Zen-Noh Grain Corporation facility in Convent, La., on/about October 19-20, 2017. Any and all FGIS and USDA records, documentation, reports and correspondence relating to the loading, sampling, testing and grading of this cargo of soybeans including but not limited to: Inspection Log Motomco moisture log or any other moisture log Weight loading log Official export certificate Odor Log Grain Sample Tickets Grain Sample Envelopes SIMS Data Listing We do not know whether there was any re-testing and re-grading of the loading file samples of the soybeans, either as a result of a Field Office quality assurance inspection of file samples or as a result of a review by the Board of Appeals and Review in Kansas City. However, if there was any re-testing then we hereby request any and all FGIS and USDA records, documentation, reports and correspondence relating to the re-testing and re-grading including but not limited to: International Monitoring Report Grain Ticket Envelopes Grain Sample Tickets SIMS Data Listing BAR Odor Log Finally, if there has been any communication between the shippers or receivers of the soybeans and the FGIS International Monitoring Program or any other office of the FGIS, we hereby request copies of any such correspondence and a copy of the full contents of any FGIS file opened with respect to any correspondence or inquiry from the shippers or receivers of the soybeans including but not limited to: communications, testing reports, certificates of inspection, handwritten notes, etc. We also asked to be advised whether the reference samples taken at the port of load ng	2/2/2018	Granted in Full
1/10/2018	2018-AMS-01796-F	Cole Jason	The Cornucopia Institute	All documents and correspondence (this would include any notes, presentations, photographs, videos, audio recordings, phone calls, calendars and other material either in hard copy or electronic form) that mention, discuss, or reference Juan Velez with Aurora Organic Dairy of Boulder, CO as well as any legal counsel engaged by this individual. (Date Range for Record Search: From 5/1/2017 To 11/8/2017)	5/17/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
1/10/2018	2018-AMS-01797-F			The entire case file regarding the investigation of complaint of discrimination against [REDACTED] by the Packers and Stockyards Program.	5/17/2018	Granted in Full
1/16/2018	2018-AMS-01866-F	Caramante Julie		Correspondence (emails, memos, etc.) and any other documentation that would pertain to the recent change from "slaughter" to "other" on the Livestock to Mexico export reports provided by the USDA Agriculture Marketing Service specifically for horses exported from the US to Mexico.	2/5/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
1/19/2018	2018-AMS-01946-F	Bokern Mary	Daisy College of Health Sciences	Copies of the proposals for the following grants: 1. Recipient: Phoenix Bean LLC Bridging The Gap In The Local Food Chain. This Project addresses the Systemic Problem of Access to Locally Produced Simple Clean Healthy and Affordable Local Food. 2. Recipient: Franklin County Community Development Corporation Expanding Safe and Sustainable Supply Chains and Year Round Market Opportunities in Massachusetts. 3. Recipient: World Farmers Inc. Connecting Immigrant and Refugee Farmers to New and Expanded Markets in the Northeast. 4. Recipient: Cooperative Development Services, Inc. Expanding Local Foods Procurement and Consumption through Cooperative Food Retailers and Distributors	1/2 /2018	Granted in Full

1/22/2018	2018-AMS-01959-F	Spitz, Enid	-	The names of all the applicants for the recent Industrial Hemp Pilot Program in South Carolina	1/22/2018	Other Reasons - Not Agency Record
1/23/2018	2018-AMS-01963-F	Brown, Chris	Phelps Dunbar LLP	We are acting on behalf of M/V ARISTIDIS interests and kindly request pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. section 552) a complete copy of the USDA FGIS inspection file for the above noted shipment. The soybean cargo was loaded into all seven holds for discharge in Phu My, Vietnam. We would like for the responsive documents to include all load pilot inspection reports, logs and quality certificates showing moisture contents, quality weights, etc.	2/1/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
1/23/2018	2018-AMS-01967-F	Shapiro, Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	The records sought are: 1. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals (MFA)"; The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 2. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 3. All email's mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing (COK)"; The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. . All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Compass on Over Killing." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 5. All emails mentioning or referring to the Central Valley Meat Co. facility in Hanford California which in 2012 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/12 onward. 6. All other records mentioning or referring to the Central Valley Meat Co. facility in Hanford California which in 2012 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/12 onward. 7. All emails mentioning or referring to the Hallmark Meat Packing Co. based in Chino, California which in 2007 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/07 onward. 8. All other records mentioning or referring to the Hallmark Meat Packing Co. based in Chino, California which in 2007 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/07 onward.	5/2 /2018	Granted/Denied in Part
1/23/2018	2018-AMS-01968-F	Shapiro, Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	The records sought are: 1. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals (MFA)"; The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 2. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 3. All email's mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing (COK)"; The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. . All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Compass on Over Killing." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 5. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Animal Recovery Mission (ARM)"; The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2000 onward. 6. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Animal Recovery Mission." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2000 onward. 7. All email's mentioning or referring to the January 10, 2018 Today Show episode featuring Jackie London of Good Housekeeping drink plant-based milks. 8. All emails mentioning or referring to Conklin Dairy Farms, Inc. based in Plain City, Ohio which in 2010 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 9. All other records mentioning or referring to Conklin Dairy Farms, Inc. based in Plain City, Ohio which in 2010 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 10. All emails mentioning or referring to Wilet Dairy based in Locke, New York which in 2009 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/09 onward. 11. All other records mentioning or referring to Wilet Dairy based in Locke, New York which in 2009 was exposed for animal abuse. The	-	-
1/23/2018	2018-AMS-01969-F	Shapiro, Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	The records sought are: 1. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals (MFA)"; The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 2. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 3. All email's mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing (COK)"; The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. . All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Compass on Over Killing." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 5. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Animal Recovery Mission (ARM)"; The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2000 onward. 6. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Animal Recovery Mission." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2000 onward. 7. All email's mentioning or referring to Lake Wales egg farm in Polk County Florida which in 2018 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/18 onward. 8. All other records mentioning or referring to Lake Wales egg farm in Polk County Florida which in 2018 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/18 onward. 9. All emails mentioning or referring to DeCoster Egg Farm in Turner, Maine which in 2016 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 10. All other records mentioning or referring to DeCoster Egg Farm in Turner, Maine which in 2016 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 11. All emails mentioning or referring to Briarwood Farms in Thurston County, Washington which in 2016 was exposed for animal abuse. The	-	-

1/23/2018	2018-AMS-01971-F	Shapiro Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	The records sought are: 1. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 2. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 3. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 4. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 5. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Animal Recovery Mission (ARM)." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2000 onward. 6. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Animal Recovery Mission." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2000 onward. 7. All emails mentioning or referring to Conklin Dairy Farms Inc. based in Plain City, Ohio which in 2010 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 8. All other records mentioning or referring to Conklin Dairy Farms Inc. based in Plain City, Ohio which in 2010 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 9. All emails mentioning or referring to Willet Dairy based in Locke, New York which in 2009 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/09 onward. 10. All other records mentioning or referring to Willet Dairy based in Locke, New York which in 2009 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/09 onward. 11. All emails mentioning or referring to Larson Dairy based in Okeechobee, Florida which in 2017 was	-	-
1/23/2018	2018-AMS-01972-F	Shapiro Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	The records sought are: 1. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals (MFA)." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 2. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 3. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing (COK)." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 4. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 5. All emails mentioning or referring to Superior Farms based in Dixon, California. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/17 onward. 6. All other records mentioning or referring to Superior Farms based in Dixon, California. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/17 onward.	7/6/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
1/23/2018	2018-AMS-01973-F	Shapiro Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	The records sought are: 1. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals (MFA)." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 2. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Mercy for Animals." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/99 onward. 3. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing (COK)." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 4. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Compassion Over Killing." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 5. All emails mentioning or referring to the organization "Last Chance for Animals (LCA)." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2000 onward. 6. All other records mentioning or referring to the organization "Last Chance for Animals." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2000 onward. 7. All emails mentioning or referring to Country View, a pig farm based in Fannettsburg, Pennsylvania which in 2009 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/09 onward. 8. All other records mentioning or referring to Country View, a pig farm based in Fannettsburg, Pennsylvania which in 2009 was exposed for animal abuse. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/09 onward. 9. All emails mentioning or referring to Iowa Select, a pig farm based in Kamrar, Iowa which in 2011 was exposed for animal cruelty. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/11 onward. 10. All other records mentioning or referring to Iowa Select, a pig farm based in Kamrar, Iowa which in 2011 was exposed for animal cruelty. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/11 onward. 11. All emails mentioning or	-	-
1/23/2018	2018-AMS-01985-F	Kramer Samantha	-	Records related to 16MPPMO0050 specifically: Final reports - Female Expense Summary - Final SF 25 and SF 28 (if available) - Records of returned funds - Any and all email or other correspondence between the USDA, its employees, the grantee, the Pulaski County Sheltered Workshop, Lacie Karr, and board members dated on or after August 17, 2017 to present. - Any investigative notices or associated materials. (Date Range for Record Search: From 08/17/2017 To 01/23/2018)	3/9/2018	Denied in Full
1/25/2018	2018-FSA-02017-F	Schurle Steve	Riley County KS	B'n Chart and Diagrams of the Leonardville, KS grain elevator licensee Agmark LLC.	1/29/2018	Other Reasons - Not Agency Record
1/26/2018	2018-AMS-02042-F	Shapiro Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	Soaking Cattleman's Beef Promotion and Research Board records as follows: 1. All emails between the Beef Board members and the Animal Agriculture Alliance (AAA) beginning January 1, 2001 onward. 2. All emails between the Beef Board members and the Animal Enterprise Protection Coalition (AEP) beginning January 1, 2000 onward. 3. All emails between the Beef Board members and the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) beginning January 1, 2000 onward. 4. All emails between the Beef Board members and the American Meat Institute (AMI) beginning January 1, 2000 onward. 5. All emails between the Beef Board members and the Center for Consumer Freedom beginning January 1, 1996 onward. 6. All emails between the Beef Board members and the Center for the Defense of Free Enterprise beginning January 1, 1990 onward. 7. All emails between the Beef Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance (NAIA) beginning January 1, 2000 onward. 8. All emails between the Beef Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance Trust (NAIA Trust) beginning January 1, 2000 onward. 9. All emails between the Beef Board members and Protect the Harvest (PTH) beginning January 1, 2011 onward.	8/29/2018	Other Reasons - No Records

1/26/2018	2018-AMS-02043-F	Shapiro, Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	Seeking Dairy Research and Promotion Program records as follows: 1. All emails between the Dairy Checkoff members and the Animal Agriculture Alliance (AAA) beginning January 1 2001 onward. 2. All emails between the Dairy Checkoff members and the Animal Enterprise Protection Coalition (AEP) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 3. All emails between the Dairy Checkoff members and the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 4. All emails between the Dairy Checkoff members and the Center for Consumer Freedom beginning January 1 1996 onward. 5. All emails between the Dairy Checkoff members and the Center for the Defense of Free Enterprise beginning January 1 1990 onward. 6. All emails between the Dairy Checkoff members and the National Animal Interest Alliance (NAIA) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 7. All emails between the Dairy Checkoff members and the National Animal Interest Alliance Trust (NAIA Trust) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 8. All emails between the Dairy Checkoff members and Protect the Harvest (PTH) beginning January 1 201 onward.	/15/2019	Other Reasons - No Records
1/26/2018	2018-AMS-02044-F	Shapiro, Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	Seeking American Egg Board records as follows: 1. All emails between the American Egg Board members and the Animal Agriculture Alliance (AAA) beginning January 1 2001 onward. 2. All emails between the American Egg Board members and the Animal Enterprise Protection Coalition (AEP) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 3. All emails between the American Egg Board members and the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 4. All emails between the American Egg Board members and the Center for Consumer Freedom beginning January 1 1996 onward. 5. All emails between the American Egg Board members and the Center for the Defense of Free Enterprise beginning January 1 1990 onward. 6. All emails between the American Egg Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance (NAIA) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 7. All emails between the American Egg Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance Trust (NAIA Trust) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 8. All emails between the American Egg Board members and Protect the Harvest (PTH) beginning January 1 201 onward. 9. All emails between the American Egg Board members and United Egg Producers beginning January 1 2000.	11/21/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
1/26/2018	2018-AMS-02045-F	Shapiro, Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	Seeking Fluid Milk Processor's Promotion Board records as follows: 1. All emails between the Fluid Milk Board members and the Animal Agriculture Alliance (AAA) beginning January 1 2001 onward. 2. All emails between the Fluid Milk Board members and the Animal Enterprise Protection Coalition (AEP) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 3. All emails between the Fluid Milk Board members and the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 4. All emails between the Fluid Milk Board members and the Center for Consumer Freedom beginning January 1 1996 onward. 5. All emails between the Fluid Milk Board members and the Center for the Defense of Free Enterprise beginning January 1 1990 onward. 6. All emails between the Fluid Milk Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance (NAIA) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 7. All emails between the Fluid Milk Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance Trust (NAIA Trust) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 8. All emails between the Fluid Milk Board members and Protect the Harvest (PTH) beginning January 1 201 onward.	/17/2019	Other Reasons - No Records
1/26/2018	2018-AMS-02046-F	Shapiro, Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	Seeking American Lamb Board records as follows: 1. All emails between the Lamb Board members and the Animal Agriculture Alliance (AAA) beginning January 1 2001 onward. 2. All emails between the Lamb Board members and the Animal Enterprise Protection Coalition (AEP) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 3. All emails between the Lamb Board members and the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 4. All emails between the Lamb Board members and the American Meat Institute (AMI) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 5. All emails between the Lamb Board members and the Center for Consumer Freedom beginning January 1 1996 onward. 6. All emails between the Lamb Board members and the Center for the Defense of Free Enterprise beginning January 1 1990 onward. 7. All emails between the Lamb Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance (NAIA) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 8. All emails between the Lamb Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance Trust (NAIA Trust) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 9. All emails between the Lamb Board members and Protect the Harvest (PTH) beginning January 1 201 onward.	6/11/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
1/26/2018	2018-AMS-02047-F	Shapiro, Ryan	MIT/The Public Record	Seeking National Pork Board records as follows: 1. All emails between the Pork Board members and the Animal Agriculture Alliance (AAA) beginning January 1 2001 onward. 2. All emails between the Pork Board members and the Animal Enterprise Protection Coalition (AEP) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 3. All emails between the Pork Board members and the American Legislative Exchange Council (ALEC) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 4. All emails between the Pork Board members and the American Meat Institute (AMI) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 5. All emails between the Pork Board members and the Center for Consumer Freedom beginning January 1 1996 onward. 6. All emails between the Pork Board members and the Center for the Defense of Free Enterprise beginning January 1 1990 onward. 7. All emails between the Pork Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance (NAIA) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 8. All emails between the Pork Board members and the National Animal Interest Alliance Trust (NAIA Trust) beginning January 1 2000 onward. 9. All emails between the Pork Board members and Protect the Harvest (PTH) beginning January 1 201 onward.	/16/2018	Other Reasons - No Records

1/29/2018	2018-AMS-02068-F	Juska William	Freehill Hogan and Mahar	We represent Panafrican Maritime Inc., the owners of the M/V PANAFRICAN which loaded a cargo of 70 2 112 MT of U.S. No. 2 or Better Yellow Soybeans supplied by Louis Dreyfus Company at Port Allen, Louisiana about September 10-13, 2017. Upon arrival at the port of discharge in China problems were detected with the quality of the soybeans. We hereby request any and all FGIS and USDA records, documentation, reports and correspondence relating to the loading, sampling, testing and grading of this cargo of soybeans, including but not limited to: Inspection Log Motomco moisture log or any other moisture or Weight loading log Official export certificate Odor Log Grain Sample Tickets Grain Sample Envelopes SIMS Data Listing We do not know whether there was any re-testing and re-grading of the load or file samples of the soybeans either as a result of a Field Office quality assurance inspection of file samples or as a result of a review by the Board of Appeals and Review in Kansas City. However if there was any re-testing then we hereby request any and all FGIS and USDA records, documentation, reports and correspondence relating to the re-testing and re-grading, including but not limited to: Internal on-site Monitoring Report Grain Ticket Envelopes Grain Sample Tickets SIMS Data Listing BAR Odor Log Finally, if there has been any communication between shippers or receivers of the soybeans and the FGIS International Monitoring Program or any other office of the FGIS, we hereby request copies of any such correspondence and a copy of the full contents of any FGIS file opened with respect to any correspondence or inquiry from the shippers or receivers of the	2/20/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
1/30/2018	2018-AMS-02095-F	Galati Stephen	MATTIONI LTD.	All documents concerning: Classic Produce, Inc. PACA license #2016028 Vianney Capel an Vantage Produce and Robert Giuliano; All documents associated with its/their PACA licenses, including the license applications, correspondence and other documents; Files concerning reparations, complaints or disputes.	1/16/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/1/2018	2018-AMS-02173-F	Kassakhian Harutun	The Kassakhian Law Firm P.C.	JH Rose Logistics v its attorney Harutun Kassakhian request a copy of the USDA's AMS' PACA Enforcement Divisions records of: BONERT INC. and MICHAEL BONERT's PACA license application pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act, 5 USC Sect on 552 et al. JH ROSE LOGISTICS LLC via its attorney Harutun Kassakhian of the Kassakhian Law Firm P.C. also requests the final order of PACA Enforcement that prohibits Michael Bonert and/or Bonert Inc. from the PACA-regulated produce industry. AMS' PACA Enforcement Division Case No. in this matter was WR162 6. Bonert's copy of the PACA license number was 20000-1562.. We request the completed application associated with Bonert Inc.'s and/or Michael Bonert's PACA license.	2/20/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/2/2018	2018-AMS-02186-F	Surbey Blake	McCarron & Dess	Request: 1. The PACA License application for Diamond Produce Wholesalers & Packers, Inc. (Diamond); 2. All documents submitted by Diamond in support of its PACA License application; 3. Diamond's Articles of Incorporation and Operating Agreement and any renewal applications; 4. All correspondence between USDA and Diamond, including licensure or changes in status, letters of suspension, letters of warning, license application renewal reminders.	2/23/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/2/2018	2018-AMS-02204-F	Brown Chris	Phelps Dunbar LLP	We are acting on behalf of M/V W-PACIFIC interests and kindly request, pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. § 552), a complete copy of the USDA FGIS inspection file for the above noted shipment. The soybean cargo was loaded into all seven holds on January 25, 2018 in Kalama, WA for discharge in China. We would like for the responsive documents to include all load port inspection and Grade reports, logs and quality certificates showing moisture contents, quality weights, etc. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/25/2018 To 2/2/2018)	2/20/2018	Granted in Full
2/5/2018	2018-AMS-02226-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request to Cattlemen's Beef Promotion and Research Board for any and all records mentioning or referring to "ag-gag" laws.	2/30/2018	Granted in Full
2/5/2018	2018-AMS-02227-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request to the American Egg Board for any and all records mentioning or referring to "ag-gag" laws.	10/5/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
2/5/2018	2018-AMS-02228-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request to the American Lamb Board for any and all records mentioning or referring to "ag-gag" laws.	3/30/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
2/5/2018	2018-AMS-02229-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request to the National Pork Board for any and all records mentioning or referring to "ag-gag" laws.	1/16/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/5/2018	2018-AMS-02231-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request to Dairy Research and Promotion Program for any and all records mentioning or referring to "ag-gag" laws.	1/16/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
2/5/2018	2018-AMS-02235-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request to the Fluid Milk Processor's Promotion Board for any and all records mentioning or referring to "ag-gag" laws.	1/16/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
2/7/2018	2018-AMS-02275-F	Barrera Rosa	Stokes Law Office LLP	All of other produce businesses that may have filed claims against Val ey (Produce Corp) before the USDA.	1/1/2018	Denied in Full
2/9/2018	2018-AMS-02318-F	Dillon Lauren	Democratic National Committee	All emails, including attachments, sent or received by the below-identified GIPSA personnel which reference the withdrawal of an interim final rule (IFR) concerning the "Scope of Sections 202(a) and (b) of the Packers and Stockyards Act" which was published in the Federal Register on October 18, 2017 (82 FR 859). The IFR withdrawn was originally published in the Federal Register on December 20, 2016 (81 FR 92566). The timeframe of my request is January 20, 2017 to October 31, 2017. GIPSA Personnel: S. Brett Offutt, Director, Litigation and Economic Analysis Division; Packers and Stockyards Program; and Randall D. Jones, Acting Administrator. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/20/2017 to 10/31/2017)	-	-
2/9/2018	2018-AMS-02339-F	Cole Jason	The Cornucopia Institute	1. All documents that discuss or describe the dismissal, termination, transfer, demotion, promotion, retirement, or separation of Miles McEvoy from employment with the USDA or if he is still employed in some capacity his transition from his role managing the National Organic Program; 2. Any agreements or settlements related to Mr. McEvoy's transition from heading the NOP, as well as any other supporting documents generated prior to or subsequent to any agreement signed or otherwise between the USDA and Mr. McEvoy. (Date Range for Record Search: From 3/10/2017 to 11/10/2017)	2/20/2018	Other Reasons - All Records Referred to Another Component or Agency

2/12/2018	2018-AMS-02344-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the Cattlemen's Beef Promotion and Research Board: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the think tank "The Heartland Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/20/17 onward. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the organization "Good Food Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 3. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Impossible Foods." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/11 onward. 4. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Memphis Meats." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/15 onward. 5. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the terms, "clean meat," "lab grown meat," or "cultured meat." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 6. Email correspondence between the Beef Board members and the US Farmers and Ranchers Alliance with the following search terms: "adventorial," "Meatless Monday," "animal welfare," and "Paul Shapiro." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 7. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Beyond Meat." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/09 onward. 8. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "New Harvest." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/0 onward. 9. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company	10/19/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/12/2018	2018-AMS-02345-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the American Egg Board: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the think tank "The Heartland Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/20/17 onward. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the organization "Good Food Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 3. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Impossible Foods." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/11 onward. 4. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Memphis Meats." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/15 onward. 5. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the terms, "clean meat," "lab grown meat," or "cultured meat." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 6. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Beyond Meat." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/09 onward. 7. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the organization "New Harvest." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/0 onward. 8. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Hampton Creek." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/15 onward. 9. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the individual Bruce Friedrich. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 10. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the individual Joanna Grossman. The	-	-
2/12/2018	2018-AMS-02346-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the National Pork Board: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the think tank "The Heartland Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/20/17 onward. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the organization "Good Food Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 3. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Impossible Foods." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/11 onward. 4. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Memphis Meats." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/15 onward. 5. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the phrase, "Factory Free Fridays." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/12 onward. 6. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Beyond Meat." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/09 onward. 7. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "New Harvest." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/0 onward. 8. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Hampton Creek." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/12 onward. 9. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the individual Bruce Friedrich. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 10. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the individual Joanna Grossman. The	10/19/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/12/2018	2018-AMS-02348-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the Dairy Research and Promotion Program: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the think tank "The Heartland Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/20/17 onward. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the organization "Good Food Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 3. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Impossible Foods." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/11 onward. 4. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the terms, "clean meat," "lab grown meat," or "cultured meat." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 5. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the organization "New Harvest." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/0 onward. 6. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Hampton Creek." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/12 onward. 7. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the individual Bruce Friedrich. 8. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the individual Joanna Grossman. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 9. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the individual Paul Shapiro. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/95 onward. 10. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to the company "Beyond Meat." The	-	-

2/12/2018	2018-AMS-02349-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the Fluid Milk Processor's Promotion Board: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the think tank "The Heartland Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/20/11 onward. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the organization "Good Food Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 3. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the company "Impossible Foods." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/11 onward. 4. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the company "Perfect Day." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/1 onward. 5. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the terms "clean meat," "lab grown meat," or "cultured meat." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/10 onward. 6. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the organization "New Harvest." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/0 onward. 7. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the company "Hampton Creek." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/12 onward. 8. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the individual Bruce Friedrich. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 9. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the individual Joanna Grossman. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 10. Any and all records, including email correspondence.		-
2/12/2018	2018-AMS-02358-F	Gallagher, Ryan	-	Request for all records regarding: 1. FISAF/ISC; 2. Religion/RFRA and your Agency or Policy on how the RFRA is enforced by your Agency or Cases you have on Record regarding the RFRA; 3. IACHR/OAS and your Agency or Policy on how the Inter American Commission on Human Rights and the Treaty of the Rights and Duties of Man are enforced by your Agency or Cases you have on Record regarding the IACHR. All Records and Policy regarding the USDA and any Department thereof and Mar Juana.	2/12/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
2/12/2018	2018-AMS-02366-F	Goode, Clay	American Oversight	All records reflecting communications (including emails, email attachments, text messages, telephone call logs, calendars, invitation/entries, meeting notices, meeting agendas, informational material, draft legislation on talking points, or other materials) regarding USDA's Pest Side Data Program (PDP) between the USDA's Agriculture Marketing Service's officials and employees (including but not limited to Secretary Sonny Perdue, Heidi Green, Chris Young, Brian Kippenstein, Kristi Boswell, Rebeckah Adock, Bruce Summers, Diana Haynes, David Nadrich, Erin Morris, Charles W. Parrott) and the following organizations, employees or members: a. Alliances for Food and Farming, Inc. (domain: foodandfarming.info), including but not limited to: Tim York, Chris Zanobini, Teresa Thorne, and Rosi Gong; b. California Pear Advisory Board (domain: calpear.com), including but not limited to: Chris Zanobini; c. California Strawberry Commission (domain: castrawberry.org), including but not limited to: Rick Tomlinson; USDA-18-01-# 2 d. California Table Grape Commission (domain: grapesfromcalifornia.com), including but not limited to: Kathleen Nave; e. California Carrot Advisory Board (domain@grimmway.com), including but not limited to: John Guerard; f. Produce Marketing Association (domain: pma.com), including but not limited to: Johnna Hegner, Joe Watson, Kathy Means, Jimmy Conry, Gina Jones, and Bruce Taylor; g. Western Growers Association (domain: wga.com), including but not limited to: Matt McInerney; h. Taylor Farms (domain: tayorffarms.com), including but not limited to: Bruce Taylor; i. Florida Fruit and Vegetable Association (domain: flva.com), including but not limited to: Mike Stearns and Butch Calhoun.	5/2 /2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/13/2018	2018-AMS-02389-F	Noone, Peter	Avery Dooley and Noone LLP	All documents relating to any and all investigations made by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Grain Inspection Packers and Stockyard Administration concerning a specified employee including all reports of investigation, witness affidavits and declarations, notes of conversations, communication logs or transcripts, and all other documents relating to the investigation.	/18/2018	Denied in Full
2/13/2018	2018-AMS-02395-F	Gallagher, Ryan	-	A request for: 1. Policies regarding Drug Testing and what happens when those results come in. 2. Any records on the Sadhus in India. 3. Any Documents that enforce the Religious Freedom Restoration Act (RFRA) or the Religious Land Use and Institutionalized Persons Act (RLUIPA). 4. Any Documents which lay out your Handicapped Policy in regards to the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) but Religious in Nature.	3/15/2018	Other Reasons - All Records Referred to Another Component or Agency
2/13/2018	2018-AMS-02397-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the American Lamb Board (Numbers (1)-() refer to materials mentioned in the 2/1/18 document release from the American Lamb Board to Requesters): 1. Annual Board Meeting Minutes beginning January 2012 onward. 2. All records including email correspondence mentioning or referring to Phil Baltz of Baltz and Co. discussing veganism and vegetarianism. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/2010 onward. 3. All records including email correspondence, receipts, orders and invoices mentioning or referring to the Lamb Board's Google AdWords program/search engine optimization. The timeframe for this request is 1/1/05 onward. 4. All records constituting materials produced by Harvest PR and sent to the American Lamb Board that tracked media coverage of lamb. This request refers to the last email in the 2/1/18 release and indicates that sometime after January 2, 2017, Harvest PR would be sending such documents to the Lamb Board. 5. Any and all records including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the think tank "The Heartland Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/20/17 onward. 6. Any and all records including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the organization "Good Food Institute." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/16 onward. 7. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the company "Impossible Foods." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/11 onward. 8. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the company "Memphis Meats." The timeframe for this request is 1/1/15 onward. 9. Any and all records, including email correspondence.	5/31/2018	Granted/Denied in Part

2/1 /2018	2018-AMS-02413-F	Warren K mberly	Discoverorg	The Organizational Charts for the Chief Informant on Officer of Agricultural Marketing Service- something that includes the names and titles/departments of the people who report to the Chief Informant on Officer of Agricultural Marketing Service. I would also ask that this Organizational Chart contain the direct reports of the people reporting to the Chief Informant on Officer. Also contact information on the people listed in the above organizational charts to include: Business Address, Direct Business Telephone Number, and Business Email Address would be greatly appreciated.	3/19/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn
2/1 /2018	2018-AMS-02422-F	Van Saun, Amy	Center for Food Safety	All documents related to AMS/USDA's January 25, 2018 notice declaring that "(c)ertification of hydroponic aquaponics and aeroponic operations is allowed under the USDA organic regulations, and has been since the National Organic Program began", including all documents related to (a) the National Organic Standards Board's (NOSB) previous deliberations on the compatibility of hydroponics and aquaponics with the organic law and regulations, (b) the NOSB's recommendation that aeroponic systems be prohibited in organic production, and (c) USDA's decision to continue to allow aeroponics in organic production while reviewing that recommendation. 2. All documents related to the Coalition for Sustainable Organics, its Executive Director Lee Frankel, or Board member Theo Crisantes, and their engagement with AMS/USDA on the issue of hydroponics, aquaponics, and aeroponics in organic.	10/17/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/15/2018	2018-AMS-02477-F	Chebot, Jeffrey	-	A request for certified copies of the following PACA records in connection with the below related entities which have been subject to numerous USDA sanctions, including reparation awards and disciplinary actions, under PACA: the Perishable Agricultural Commodities Act: 1. Y & L Pomicorski, Inc. - PACA license number 20050228 - Yakov Yosofov, sole officer, director and shareholder - barred from operating 9/12/2005 2. Jacobs Village Farm Corp. - PACA license number 20120907 - Jacob Yusifov (same as Yakov Yosofov) sole officer, director and shareholder - barred from operating 11/12/2015 3. Steven Produce King, Inc. - PACA license number 20150686 - Shy S. Yosofov (a/k/a "Steven" or "Yakov Jr." or "Junior" son of Yakov Yosofov) sole officer, director and shareholder - barred from operating 11/22/2016 4. Jacobs Village Farm Corp. - PACA license number 20170368 - Yakov Yosofov, sole officer, director and shareholder. The records include: 1. PACA license histories 2. PACA reparation awards 3. Disciplinary sanctions (including license suspensions, revocations, civil penalties, owners/principals employment sanctions)	7/18/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/21/2018	2018-AMS-02540-F	Maxwell, Joe	Organizat on for Competitive Markets	This is a Freedom of Information Act Request. All documents requested are those documents from January 1, 2012 to February 20, 2018. Please provide all internal, external or independent audits and audit documents which have been submitted to USDA Agriculture Marketing Services and/or Cattleman's Board or other name that is the Cattleman's Board as referenced in 7 CFR 1260 from the Ohio Beef Council, a Qualified State Beef Council recognized and appointed as such pursuant to 7 CFR 1260.315. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2012 To 02/20/2018)	6/ /2018	Granted in Full
2/22/2018	2018-AMS-02575-F	Ross, Anne	The Cornucopia Institute	Request copies of all documents which identify, discuss, or describe any shipments of organic agricultural produce which were presented for entry at ports and borders of the United States originating from the country of Mexico and that were fumigated or irradiated (or treated in any other regard to control pests or pathogens); also include any documents that identify, discuss, or describe any of the following matters for these shipments: 1. Form 523 Emergency Act on Notifications for each shipment; 2. Phytosanitary certificates; 3. Date the shipment arrived at the port or border crossing where the product was presented for entry; 4. Location of the port or border crossing where the import was presented for entry; 5. Carrier identity (Vessel Name, Train, Truck) in which the product arrived; 6. Entity conducting the fumigation and/or irradiation; 7. Description of the action taken for imports which were fumigated or irradiated. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2015 To 2/22/2018)	-	Granted/Denied in Part
2/22/2018	2018-AMS-02587-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request the following from the Promotion, Research, and Planning Division of the Dairy Program and the Research and Promotion Division of the Livestock, Poultry, and Seed Program: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence, mentioning or referring to "animal welfare," "animal rights," and "animal protection;" 2. Search exclusively utilizing the NCBA email server.	7/16/2018	Other Reasons - Improper FOIA Request for Other Reason
2/23/2018	2018-AMS-02610-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the Cattleman's Beef Promotion and Research Board: 1. Any emails by and between members of the Beef Board and Joanne Ivy. This request includes the entire email chain in which Joanne Ivy is a sender or recipient (including a "cc" or "bcc") of one or more emails in the chain. This request also includes any attachments. This request also includes emails sent or received by Ivy using any alias. This request also includes official communications sent or received by Ivy using any non-government email account. The timeframe for this request is December 8, 2011 onward. 2. Any emails by and between members of the Beef Board and Robert Aderholt. This request includes the entire email chain in which Robert Aderholt is a sender or recipient (including a "cc" or "bcc") of one or more emails in the chain. This request also includes any attachments. This request also includes emails sent or received by Aderholt using any alias. This request also includes official communications sent or received by Aderholt using any non-government email account. The timeframe for this request is December 8, 2011 onward. 3. Any emails by and between members of the Beef Board and Sam Farr. This request includes the entire email chain in which Sam Farr is a sender or recipient (including a "cc" or "bcc") of one or more emails in the chain. This request also includes any attachments. This request also includes emails sent or received by Farr using any alias. This request also includes official communications sent or received by Farr using any non-government email account. The timeframe for this request is December 8, 2011 onward. Any emails by and between members of the Beef Board and Chase, same. This	7/20/2018	Other Reasons - No Records

2/23/2018	2018-AMS-02616-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the Fluid Milk Processor's Promotion Board: 1. Any emails by and between members of the Milk Board and Joanne Ivy. This request includes the entire email chain in which Joanne Ivy is a sender or recipient (including a "cc" or "bcc") of one or more emails in the chain. This request also includes any attachments. This request also includes email sent or received by Ivy using any alias. This request also includes official communications sent or received by Ivy using any non-government email account. The timeframe for this request is December 8, 2011 onward. 2. Any emails by and between members of the Milk Board and Robert Aderholt. This request includes the entire email chain in which Robert Aderholt is a sender or recipient (including a "cc" or "bcc") of one or more emails in the chain. This request also includes any attachments. This request also includes emails sent or received by Aderholt using any alias. This request also includes official communications sent or received by Aderholt using any nongovernment email account. The timeframe for this request is December 8, 2011 onward. 3. Any emails by and between members of the Milk Board and Sam Farr. This request includes the entire email chain in which Sam Farr is a sender or recipient (including a "cc" or "bcc") of one or more emails in the chain. This request also includes any attachments. This request also includes email sent or received by Farr using any alias. This request also includes official communications sent or received by Farr using any non-government email account. The timeframe for this request is December 8, 2011 onward. 4. Any emails by and between members	12/7/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
2/27/2018	2018-AMS-02655-F	Mcke, Joel	Hall Booth Smith PC	A copy of any and all files, records and other documents in your possession (including, but not limited to, all notes, communications and memoranda) in whatever tangible medium including electronically stored information, that relate to the following: 1) Any and all Notice(s) of Violation, and any document reference therein, issued to Pilgrim's Pride Corporation ("Pilgrim's") in response to Pilgrim's conversion of its Athens, Georgia complex to No Antibiotics Ever (NAE) production and the related capital investment demands made upon the growers associated with the conversion of the complex to NAE. This request for Notice(s) of Violation would include any issued in response to claims or complaints asserted by [REDACTED] between February 2017 and February 2018. 2) If any Notice(s) of Violation has been issued against Pilgrim's that is responsive to Request No. 1, please produce the entire GIPSA investigation file related thereto including any investigator field notes, interviews (transcribed, recorded or memorialized in notes) of independent growers and Pilgrim's employees or agents, lists of impacted growers and any documents provided to GIPSA by Pilgrim's or independent grower related thereto. 3) If any Notice(s) of Violation has been issued against Pilgrim's that is responsive to Request No. 1, please produce any responses or objections provided by Pilgrim's related thereto including any stipulation or consent agreement regarding same, and any and all replies issued by GIPSA in such docket or proceeding.	12/21/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
3/1/2018	2018-AMS-02703-F	Lynch, H. John	-	copies of all the paperwork that your agents took from my home office around the 1st of June 2017. Brett Loughhead was involved in this meeting. I was told at the time that I would have these papers returned. I would appreciate your help on this matter.	3/12/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02743-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for records from the Cattlemen's Beef Promotion and Research Board for: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the Agricultural Retailers Association. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to Daren Coppock.	5/17/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02745-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for records from the American Egg Board for: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the Agricultural Retailers Association. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to Daren Coppock.	5/18/2019	Granted/Denied in Part
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02746-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for records from the American Lamb Board for: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the Agricultural Retailers Association. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to Daren Coppock.	5/2/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02747-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for records from the National Pork Board for: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the Agricultural Retailers Association. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to Daren Coppock.	6/25/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02748-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for records from the Dairy Research and Promotion Program for: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the Agricultural Retailers Association. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to Daren Coppock.	-	-
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02749-F	Shapiro, Ryan	Property of the People	Request for records from the Fluid Milk Processor's Promotion Board for: 1. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the Agricultural Retailers Association. 2. Any and all records, including email correspondence mentioning or referring to Daren Coppock.	5/17/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02751-F	Hungerford, Amanda	The Humane Society	Request for any and all records relating or referring to the USDA ISO Technical Specification 3700 Animal Welfare Assessment Program. (Note: On 6-27-18, Requester Peter Brandt/HSUS modified date range to 6-1-2016 onward) (Date Range for Record Search: From 6/1/2016 To 3/5/2018)	3/6/2019	Granted/Denied in Part
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02761-F	Bass, Eugene	-	This is an official information request for the results of the misconduct investigation report in its entirety conducted in August 2017 involving Managers and Supervisors in the New Orleans Field Office. As you know, there were many personnel actions experienced by employees as a result of this investigation. To date, no information has been provided to anyone involved as a result of this action.	5/9/2018	Denied Full
3/5/2018	2018-AMS-02763-F	Mosie, Josie	Josie Mosie & Co	A request for the following: 1. The main page only of the 2015 informal complaint filed by Veracity Produce against B. Sayers. 2. The main page only of the 2015 formal complaint filed by Veracity Produce against B. Sayers. 3. The main pages only of the answers to these complaints from B. Sayers.	5/17/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn

3/6/2018	2018-AMS-02782-F	Backus Brent	-	Request for the financial amount paid to Bill Kerr Dairy Farm and John W. Kerr Farms under the USDA program Milk Income Loss Contract Program (MILC) and /or any other USDA program. Request amended to clarify that the other USDA programs from which the farms (Kerr) have received USDA monetary subsidies as: 1. Dairy Product Price Support Program (DPSP) 2. Dairy Export Incentive Program (DEIP) 3. Margin Protection Program for Dairy (MPP) . Dairy Product Donation Program.	3/8/2018	Other Reasons - All Records Referred to Another Component or Agency
3/8/2018	2018-AMS-02830-F	Besnyl Glenn	National Commercial Recovery Inc.	Gardunos Fruit & Produce Inc. License No. 2011 1091 - I am requesting information on the above referenced prior licensee from the USDA under the Freedom of Information Act. Please provide my office with a certified copy of the original PACA license application all renewals and/or reinstatements and the most recent license print out listing the principals and license details for the prior licensee listed above who had a PACA license with USDA.	/ / 2018	Other Reasons - No Records
3/8/2018	2018-AMS-02835-F	Amy Michael	Deutsch Kerrigan LLP	Any and all documents in the possession of the USDA FGIS GIPSA and any other affiliated administrative agency that concern refer or relate to the M/V WADI SAFAGA (Official No.: 9253; IMO No.: 9 6073) which is owned by National Navigation Co. an Egyptian entity as well as any documents or materials related to the incidents described below. From June 23 2017 to July 7 2017 the M/V WADI SAFAGA was being loaded with a cargo of Wheat in Bulk at the Louis Dreyfus Corporation grain terminal/elevator in Beaumont Texas. At the completion of loading the vessel's cargo holds were fumigated by Triton Fumigation LLC. On July 7 2017 the M/V WADI SAFAGA departed Beaumont TX headed for its destination in Egypt when an explosion in one of its cargo holds occurred (the "Incident"). This FOIA Request specifically includes but is not limited to: vessel inspection reports; grain inspection reports; copies of Form FGIS-938; investigation reports; root cause analyses; cause and origin reports or investigations; fumigation reports; fumigation permits; a copy of any federal regulation(s) or protocol(s) used by agents of the USDA/FGIS/GIPSA when performing grain loading or fumigation inspections; any certificates or permits issued or received by the USDA/FGIS/GIPSA in connection with the above-described loading fumigation or Incident; and any other documents or materials related to the loading fumigation or Incident involving the M/V WADI SAFAGA generated received sent or acquired by the USDA/FGIS/GIPSA.	3/30/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
3/8/2018	2018-AMS-02851-F	Juska William	Freehill Hogan and Mahar	The M/V MIAO XIANG which loaded a cargo of soybeans at the Bunge Terminal in Destrehan LA on/about October 1 2017. We request: Any and all FGIS and USDA records documentation reports and correspondence relating to the loading sampling testing and grading of this cargo of soybeans including but not limited to: Inspection Log Moisture moisture log or any other moisture log Weight loading log Official export certificate Odor Log Grain Sample Tickets Grain Sample Envelopes SIMS Data Listing At our request there was a review of the loading file samples of the soybeans by the Board of Appeals and Review ("BAR") in Kansas City. We hereby request any and all BAR FGIS and USDA records documentation reports and correspondence relating to the BAR review of the loading samples including but not limited to: Internal Monitoring Report Grain Ticket Envelopes Grain Sample Tickets SIMS Data Listing BAR Odor Log Finally if there has been any communication between the shippers of the soybeans Bunge North America Inc. and the FGIS International Monitoring Program or any other office of the FGIS we hereby request copies of any such correspondence and a copy of the full contents of any FGIS file opened with respect to any correspondence or inquiry from the shippers of the soybeans including but not limited to communications testing reports certificates of inspection handwritten notes etc.	/2 /2018	Granted/Denied in Part
3/9/2018	2018-AMS-02871-F	Matute Brenda	KIDY FOX	Documents or confirmation that San Angelo Packing Co. Inc. or a so known as Texas Packing Company has either filed for bankruptcy or is in mediation with ranchers after failing to make payments for cattle they received.	6/11/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
3/9/2018	2018-AMS-02878-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Any and all records mentioning or referring to FOIA Request 2016-AMS-00327-F including any and all records created in the perfection search for and processing of any responsive records; any documentation reflecting the search conducted of the NCBA email server; and emails mentioning or referring to searching the NCBA email server in response to the request.	/16/2018	Granted in Full
3/12/2018	2018-AMS-02900-F	Besnyl Glenn	National Commercial Recovery Inc.	License No. 2016017 - A certified copy of the original PACA license application all renewals and/or reinstatements and the most recent PACA license print out listing the license details for the licensee listed above who had a PACA license with the USDA.	3/26/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
3/12/2018	2018-AMS-02905-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	1. Any and all emails to and from Greg Bridges mentioning or referring to the NCBA email server (see attached) including emails to and from Gunita Singh. 2. Any and all correspondence including email correspondence sent by Greg Bridges mentioning or referring to searches of the NCBA Email Server. 3. All records constituting training material and standard operating procedures on the FOIA (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2011 To 3/12/2018)	/16/2018	Granted in Full
3/19/2018	2018-AMS-03025-F	[REDACTED]	-	All existing records including written statements emails letters telephone communications voicemail memoranda faxes and notes in connection with AMS-Memphis Classifying Office Employment Discrimination matter involving [REDACTED] and Area Director [REDACTED] (Date Range for Record Search: From 10/27/2017 To 3/19/2018)	3/26/2018	Denied in Full
3/19/2018	2018-AMS-03028-F	Singh Gunita	Property of the People	Any and all records mentioning or referring to the NCBA email server.	3/30/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn
3/23/2018	2018-AMS-03102-F	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	I request that a copy of any Notice of Violation that was issued by the Packers and Stockyards Division from the Atlanta Georgia regional office to Pilgrims Pride Corporation in response to a complaint that was filed in 2017 be provided to me.	/20/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
3/23/2018	2018-AMS-03113-F	Ware Regina	USDA AMS	I would like to data regarding FY16 and 17 trainings employees were allowed to take and the cost associated with those trainings. I would like the data by race gender and location	/26/2018	Granted in Full

3/26/2018	2018-AMS-03133-F	Corona Gerry	Corona Marketing	Please send me the final closing/settlement paper work on W-16-21 Corona v. State Brochure	3/30/2018	Other Reasons - Records sought are currently available at a USDA site.
3/27/2018	2018-AMS-03332-F	Maxwell Charles	Rusty Spur Arena Inc.	On Monday March 19 I spoke with Doug Rydberg regarding a horse auction at our facility in June of this year. Mr. Rydberg informed me of several requirements under the USDA Packers and Stockyards act that I would have to comply with. On Monday I asked how he (Mr. Rydberg) received the information on the sale to which he replied "someone sent me a link." On Tuesday March 20 I again spoke to Mr. Rydberg regarding some bonding questions and asked again about who he received the information on the sale to which Mr. Rydberg stated he tried to find the info but was not "tech" savvy. I am requesting assistance under the freedom of information act in attempt to find out how our information is being forwarded to people like Mr. Rydberg.	7/16/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
3/27/2018	2018-AMS-03148-F	Bertram Richard	-	The matter concerns a cargo of golden distillers dried grain with solubles that was loaded by ADM aboard the M/V LORENTZOS during the period of July 7-9 2016. At ADM's request Research Fumigant on fumigated the cargo on July 9 2016. The USDA logs (attached) reflect that Inspector Marcus Hill witnessed the fumigation on July 9 2016. The vessel sailed for South Korea and while at sea a fire and/or smoldering occurred in cargo hold no 1. An investigation was carried out which reflected that Research Fumigation did not correctly apply the fumigant in hold no. 1. In accordance with our discussion we respectfully request: Item A Certified copies of the attached USDA phytosanitary certificates for use at the upcoming trial: (1) Phytosanitary Certificate No. F-F-22071-057 1 85-7-N dated July 13 2016 (2) Phytosanitary Certificate No. F-F-22071-057 1505-7-N dated July 13 2016 (3) Phytosanitary Certificate No. F-F-22071-057 1506-7-N dated July 13 2016 (4) Phytosanitary Certificate No. F-F-22071-057 1507-7-N dated July 13 2016 (5) Phytosanitary Certificate No. F-F-22071-057 1508-7-N dated July 13 2016 (6) Phytosanitary Certificate No. F-F-22071-057 1509-7-N dated July 13 2016 (7) Phytosanitary Certificate No. F-F-22071-057 1510-7-N dated July 13 2016 (8) Phytosanitary Certificate No. F-F-22071-057 1511-7-N dated July 13 2016 Item B Certified copy of two USDA inspection reports -- insects in grain --dated July 9 2016. These two inspection reports are attached for your reference and reflect that Mr. Marcus Hill witnessed the fumigation. Item C Certified copy of USDA Critical Site Examination Certificate.	7/18/2018	Granted in Full
3/30/2018	2018-AMS-03336-F	Caramante Julie	-	The Application for a Livestock Broker Dealer License in the name of David Brown located in Holly Pond Alabama. Please include with this request the date the dealer's license became active, revoked and any and all complaints filed under that name.	5/9/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
3/30/2018	2018-AMS-03383-F	Paige Alexis	Grant Writing Help L.A.	copy of the federally funded application/proposal submitted by the following agencies: 1. Council on the Environment, Inc. 6/16/16 Grow NYC Maximizing Returns for Direct Market Farmers New York New York funded in 2017 under the FMPP Grant Award Amount: \$355 513.06 2. Family Health Centers, Inc. Family Health Centers, Inc. Farmer's Market Expansion Project Orangeburg SC Capacity Building funded in 2017 under the FMPP Grant Award Amount: \$250 000.00 3. Lake County Community Development Corporation Expanding Direct Producer-to-Consumer Market Opportunities through the Ronan Farmers Market Ronan Montana Project Type: Capacity Building Award Amount: \$158 356.00	5/3/2018	Granted in Full
3/30/2018	2018-AMS-03334-F	Caramante Julie	-	I am requesting the application of a livestock dealer's license under the name of David Dover from Seward Alabama. Please include with this request the date the dealer's license became active, revoked and any and all complaints filed under that name.	5/9/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
3/30/2018	2018-AMS-03335-F	Caramante Julie	-	I am requesting the application for a Livestock Broker Dealer License in the name of Fallon Blackwood aka Fallon Danielle Blackwood of 1662 County Highway 21 Boaz Alabama 35957. Please include with this request the date the license became active, revoked and any and all complaints filed.	5/9/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
7/2/2018	2018-AMS-03257-F	Braaksma Jason	South Bend's Farmer's Market	A request for a grant awarded to Farmers Market Inc. (South Bend Farmers Market) for the following information: 1. All Interim Performance Reports 2. All Interim Financial Reports (SF 25) 3. Final Performance Report : Final Financial Report (SF 25) 5. Tangible Personal Property Report, if applicable &. All SF-270 Forms. The project number is 15FMPPIN0067. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2015 To 12/31/2015)	5/2/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
7/3/2018	2018-AMS-03298-F	Folen Stuart	Central American Produce Association	All reports, emails and other correspondence and documents within the AMS's National Organic Program concerning correspondence from [REDACTED] relating to the investigation of organic pineapple shipments originating from Costa Rica and concerning the following companies: Valle Verde Corp. and LYL Proyectos MMV S.A. The request includes all documents concerning the "investigative reports" submitted by [REDACTED] to NOP Primus and or USDA with regards to the investigation that the above companies and individuals associated with the above companies marketed conventional pineapple (fresh and frozen) as organic.	5/8/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
6/6/2018	2018-AMS-03387-F	Wallick Richard	-	Please refer to attached document (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2017 To 01/04/2018)	-	-
7/10/2018	2018-AMS-03425-F	Schramm Robert	Schramm Williams & Associates Inc.	Request for the names and corresponding addresses of all individual growers farmers and processors eligible to vote on the current federal pistachio marketing order.	5/30/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
7/17/2018	2018-AMS-03444-F	Baker BRIAN	Cornell University	Organic Livestock and Poultry Practice Rules Delay and Withdrawal Docket #AMS-NOP-15-0012 NOP-15-06. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/20/2017 To 01/10/2018)	-	-
7/17/2018	2018-AMS-03464-F	Shaw Donald	Fied Via MuckRock	USDA Agricultural Marketing Services communications since January 2016 with any email addresses at the following domains: marina.g.org cargill.com or russelgroupdc.com. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2016 To 7/17/2018)	5/11/2018	Other Reasons - No Response from Requester

/11/2018	2018-AMS-03465-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	1. Any and all correspondence including email sent to or from Mr. William D. Allen, Director of Legislative and Regulatory Review at AMS mentioning or referring to "ag-gag" or "tag gag." 2. Any and all correspondence including email sent to or from William D. Allen and Robert Adenholz. 3. Any and all correspondence including emails by and between William D. Allen and Sam Farr. 4. Any and all records including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the Agriculture Rural Development Food and Drug Administration and Related Agencies Appropriations Bill of 2017 (11th Congress 2nd Session) in which Congress stated that it urged the USDA to recognize the checkoff boards as not being subject to 5 U.S.C. Section 552. The timeframe for this request is December 8, 2011 onward. 5. Any and all records mentioning or referring to the April 11, 2016 letter in which 1. Trade associations suggested to the House Subcommittee on Agriculture that FOIA policy be amended with respect to the checkoff boards. The timeframe for this request is December 8, 2011 onward.	6/19/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
/11/2018	2018-AMS-03466-F	Blanner Joseph	McCarthy Leonard & Kaemmerer L.C.	Request the following documents for Reijo LLC (the "Companies") which are doing business at 611 Beck Avenue St. Louis Missouri 63116 and 613 Beck Avenue St. Louis Missouri 63116: (1) Any permit applications or other documents requesting authority for the Companies to manufacture meat poultry and/or any other food products; (2) Any permits authorizing the Companies to manufacture meat poultry and/or any other food products; (3) Any checks to pay for any permits referenced herein; (4) Any request for a grant of federal inspection; (5) Any checks to pay for any grants of federal inspection; (6) Any documents in the possession of the Agricultural Marketing Service of the USDA identifying any authorized agent or principal of any of the Companies; (7) Any correspondence with any of the Companies from January 1, 2011 to the present; and (8) Any inspection report from January 1, 2017 to the present. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2011 To 11/1/2018)	5/7/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
/20/2018	2018-AMS-03626-F	Moscona Jacob	-	Request related to the Variety Name Lists under the Federal Seed Act: 1. the year in which each variety was proposed; 2. the party (distributor/developer/etc.) that proposed the name; 3. the list of variety names for all seeds tested under the Seed Regulatory and Testing Division along with the year and name of the submitting party (distributor/developer/etc.).	6/25/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
/23/2018	2018-AMS-03653-F	Timmins Timothy	Entia Biosciences	Request a copy of Complaint# NOPC166-17 filed against Entia Biosciences, Inc.	5/10/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
/2 /2018	2018-AMS-03654-F	kolstad scott	Daley & Heft	All documents referring or relating to California Certified Organic Farmers ("CCOF") Compliance Report #208179-17 relating to an anhydrous ammonia leak. A copy of any investigation report relating to an anhydrous ammonia leak in July 2017 at 52200 Industrial Way Coachella California. A copy of any investigation report relating to an anhydrous ammonia leak in July 2017 at Woodspur Farming, LLC dba Oasis Date Gardens. A copy of all communications including emails between any employees of USDA and CCOF relating to the anhydrous ammonia leak in July 2017 at 52200 Industrial Way Coachella California. A copy of all communications including emails between any employees of USDA and CCOF relating to the anhydrous ammonia leak in July 2017 at Woodspur Farming, LLC dba Oasis Date Gardens.	5/30/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
/2 /2018	2018-AMS-03660-F	Cole Jason	The Cornucopia Institute	I am requesting all correspondence between the USDA and any individual or organization outside of the agency in which the word "carrageenan" occurs between November 18, 2016 and April 1, 2018. This request includes but is not limited to: any and all correspondence to or from the office of the Secretary of Agriculture, the office of Undersecretary for Marketing and Regulatory Programs, the office of the Director of the Agricultural Marketing Service, and the National Organic Program. (Date Range for Record Search: From 11/18/2016 To 4/1/2018)	-	-
/25/2018	2018-AMS-03699-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request of the Fluid Milk Processor's Promotion Board for the following records: 1. Any and all records including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the film Cowspiracy. 2. Any and all records including email correspondence mentioning or referring to the film What the Health. 3. Any and all emails mentioning or referring to the attached December 16, 2016 letter. FURTHER INSTRUCTIONS: Requesters ask that the records of DMI (Dairy Management Inc.) exclusively be searched in fulfilling this request.	5/1/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn
5/1/2018	2018-AMS-04371-F	Edwards-Walpole Katie	Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP	I am requesting lime and citrus production reports and other production-related records kept by the USDA for LimeCo, Inc., Acosta Farms, Inc., and New LimeCo LLC. The relevant years are 1985 to present. This data could include the annual cash receipts for limes and citrus sales and the total bushels of limes and citrus being handled or grown by them. I am also seeking lime and citrus production information from 1985 to present for all licensed handlers/packinghouses or brokers located in Miami-Dade County from 1985 to present.	7/31/2018	Other Reasons - Duplicate Request
5/1/2018	2018-AMS-03807-F	Singh Gunita	Property of the People	Any and all emails mentioning or referring to the attached December 16, 2016 letter.	-	-
5/2/2018	2018-AMS-03829-F	Edwards-Walpole Katie	Saul Ewing Arnstein & Lehr LLP	lime and citrus production reports and other production-related records kept by the USDA for LimeCo, Inc., Acosta Farms, Inc., and New LimeCo LLC. The relevant years are 1985 to present. This data could include the annual cash receipts for lime and citrus sales and the total bushels of limes and citrus being handled or grown by them. I am also seeking lime and citrus production information from 1985 to present for all licensed handlers/packinghouses or brokers located in Miami-Dade County from 1985 to present.	6/11/2018	Granted in Full
5/ /2018	2018-AMS-03867-F	Carucci Chris	EMC Solutions LLC	A copy of the request and response to the following FOIA request: Request ID: 2017-AMS-00077-F Requestor: B. Aik Loren Submitted: 10/6/2016.	5/ /2018	Granted in Full
5/ /2018	2018-AMS-03893-F	Smith Kellan	Center for Food Safety	Any and all documents from April 2017 to present related to the implementation of the Agricultural Marketing Act of 1936, Pub. L. No. 111-216, 130 Stat. 83, the act regulating the labeling of bio- or genetically-engineered foods. (Date Range for Record Search: From 4/1/2017 To 5/ /2018)	-	-

5/7/2018	2018-AMS-03921-F	[REDACTED]	-	this constitutes my second request under FOIA for my complete USDA AMS Employee records. On March 9 2018 I sent my initial FOIA request for these employment records and the OASCR acknowledged receipt of this FOIA request however to date I have neither received these records nor an explanation why they were not sent. Please understand that the above FOIA request pertains to all existing records in my above employee file including but not limited to written statements email's letters employee evaluation(s) job application new employee documents memoranda faxes notes voicemail's lawsuits interoffice communications etc.	6/19/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
5/8/2018	2018-AMS-03929-F	Peter Robison	Bloomberg News	1. All meeting minutes of the Fluid Milk Processor Promotion Program (MilkPEP). 2. Access to any and all letters email's memoranda or other communications regarding the National School Lunch Program (NSLP) or the National School Breakfast Program (SBP). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2016 To 5/8/2018)	5/10/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
5/8/2018	2018-AMS-03949-F	[REDACTED]	-	all investigatory records in the above Compliance Case No. [REDACTED]	5/11/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
5/11/2018	2018-AMS-04016-F	Reeves John	Pink Lady® AMERICA L.L.C.	ALL USDA Export Form Certificates including at least all FV-205 Certificates and FV-E205 Certificates for exports to Canadian destinations and including at least all FV-207 Certificates and FV-E207 Certificates for Non-Canada exports which export form certificates involve identify or describe the export of Pink Lady® Brand apples or Cripps Pink variety apples Ruby Pink variety apples or Moline Pink variety apples from the United States to any other country. (Date Range for Record Search: From 11/1/2017 To 3/31/2018)	6/ /2018	Granted in Full
5/1 /2018	2018-AMS-04044-F	Nichols Vic	Old Dominion University	Page 19 of https://www.ams.usda.gov/sites/default/files/media/2016/MPPDescriptionofFundedProjects.pdf gives the Virginia Buy Fresh Buy Local Hampton Roads award amount in 2016 as \$90 516. I simply would like the amounts for 2018 (if available) 2017 2015 award amounts. Email of the award amount totals can be sent by email. Thanks. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2015 To 05/1 /2018)	5/31/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
5/16/2018	2018-AMS-04211-F	Hobson Cathleen	Meachum Boyle & Trafman	Any and all records notes pictures or other documents relating to [REDACTED] in your possession or control.	7/31/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
5/17/2018	2018-AMS-04102-F	Blanner Joseph	McCarthy Leonard & Kaemmerer L.C.	I am requesting pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act the following documents for B&B Adams LLC or any other business doing business at 611 Beck Avenue St. Louis MO 63116 (the "Companies") from January 1 2011 to the present: (1) Any permit applications or other documents requesting authority for the Companies to manufacture meat poultry and/or any other food products; (2) Any permits authorizing the Companies to manufacture meat poultry and/or any other food products; (3) Any checks to pay for any permits referenced herein; (4) Any request for a grant of federal inspection; (5) Any checks to pay for any grants of federal inspection; (6) Any documents in the possession of the Agricultural Marketing Service of the USDA identifying any authorized agent or principal of any of the Companies; (7) Any correspondence with any of the Companies from January 1 2011 to the present; and (8) Any inspection report from January 1 2017 to the present.	7/10/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
5/21/2018	2018-AMS-04140-F	Yaylayan Saribek	-	I am looking for the 2018 Plant Survey Report for Silver & Lewis Cheese Factory W3075 County Road EE Monticello WI 53570 Plant # 55-636. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2018 To 05/01/2018)	6/15/2018	Granted in Full
5/22/2018	2018-AMS-04190-F	Wickert Brian	-	NOP complaint from Jack Rabbit Hill Farm against Stel ar Certification Services. I would like to receive information for the reason of the complaint filed by Jack Rabbit Hill Farm against Stel ar Certification Services. I would like to know if there is a suspension by the NOP against Stel ar Certification Services.	10/1/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
5/23/2018	2018-AMS-05157-F	Almy Jessica	The Good Food Institute	All documents generated since January 1 2010 that relate to or discuss an interagency workgroup focused on in whole or part issues relevant to clean meat including all communications and meeting notes of USDA employees before or after any communications meetings or other exchanges and all agency documents generated in reference or response to these communications meetings or other exchanges (including but not limited to email's notes and presentations prepared in response). Relevant search terms may include but are not limited to "clean meat " "cultured meat " "new meat " "in vitro meat " "lab-grown meat " "lab meat " "synthetic meat " "cellular agriculture " "cell biology " "cellular biology " "synthetic biology " "synbio " "biotechnology " "workgroup " "workgroup " "discussion group " "interagency group " "collaboration " "collaborative " "cross-agency coordination " "USDA-FDA " and "FDA-USDA " as well as the names of companies that are active in this space ("Memphis Meats " "Hampton Creek " "JUST " and "Inless Foods"). This list is not exhaustive please include all relevant terms in your search.	11/16/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
5/2 /2018	2018-AMS-04247-F	Caramante Julie	-	The application for a license under GIPSA/USDA for a Dealer Market Agency Buying on Commission and Clearing Agency Responsibility is submitted by Mike McBarron 11026 CR 213 Forney Texas 75126.	9/21/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
5/25/2018	2018-AMS-04252-F	Caramante Julie	-	The application of a GIPSA registration for regulated entity Mitchell Stanley and Penny B. Stanley (DBA) M and M Livestock.	9/21/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
5/30/2018	2018-AMS-04293-F	Robison Peter	Bloomberg News	Request for: 1. any emails mentioning the words "school milk " "chocolate milk " or "school lunch" in the correspondence of Emily DeBord emily.debord@ams.usda.gov; 2. any and all emails during that timeframe between Emily DeBord emily.debord@ams.usda.gov and any employee or official of the following organizations: International Dairy Foods Association; Dairy Management Inc.; National Dairy Council; Milk Processor Education Program (MilkPEP); the Fluid Milk Processor Promotion Program or Milk Checkoff Program; USA Swimming; and the U.S. Olympic Committee; 3. domain names to search include @dairy.org @dfa.org @nationaldairyCouncil.org @milkpep.org @milkdelivers.org @usawmmhg.org and @usoc.org. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2016 To 5/30/2018)	-	-

5/31/2018	2018-AMS-04322-F	Caramante Julie	-	Request for the applicat on for a livestock dealers license under GIPSA/USDA for B and B Livestock or B and B Trading from Eagle Pass Texas. This entity has gone under both names.	7/10/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
6/1/2018	2018-AMS-04348-F	Dickman Paul	-	copies of All Seed Leaf and Stem certificates for hops from crop year 2017. These would have been sampled and certified by the OSDA on behalf of the USDA. I had in italy requested these certificates from Oregon but they directed me to you as these are federally controlled documents.	7/3/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn
6/1/2018	2018-AMS-04350-F	Weaver Hans	-	A1 AMS Specialty Crop Inspection Requests AND Results for fresh mes (Organic and Conventiona) from 1/1/2018 to 5/31/2018. Please provide in electronic format and only anonymize IF NECESSARY. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2018 To 05/31/2018).	8/1 /2018	Other Reasons - No Response from Requester
6/ /2018	2018-AMS-04364-F	Respass Drew	Galloway Johnson Tompkins Burr & Smith	We represent Cooper/T. Smith Stevedoring Company in a civil lawsuit filed by (b) (6). A request is being made under the Freedom of Information Act 5 U.S.C. Section 552 for a copy of the incident report with any associated or accompanying documents completed by the USDA following (b) (6) alleged incident aboard the AMERICA on November 13 201 . We ask that his request be processed on an expedited basis as our trial date is fast approaching.	6/13/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
6/ /2018	2018-AMS-04365-F	Poulson Al son	-	Any and all reports e-mails and other correspondence and documents within the AMS s National Organic Program (NOP) related to case number NOPC 32-16 (fresh and frozen pineapple exports to United States from Costa Rica labeled as organic) and as this case pertains to Valle Verde Corp. Congelados y Jugo de Valle Verde S.A. and Lyl. Proyectos MMV S.A. I am especia ly interested in all invest gation reports from Primus Aud ting Cps or any other related mater al by any company using the name Primus as well as investigation reports e-mails and documents from Kiwa BCS Oko and related to case number NOPC 32-16. As o if there is another/separate nvestigation and case number for Vale Verde Corp. and/or Congelados y Jugo de Valle Verde S.A. and/or Lyl. Proyectos MMV S.A. please provide all reports e-mails and other correspondence and documents within the AMS s National Organic Program (NOP) related to this investigation and case number as well.	11/9/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
6/ /2018	2018-AMS-04367-F	Kim Shirley	Norton Rose Fulbright LLP	I hereby request copies of all public records that fall into the categories of documents identified below pertaining to the United States Department of Agriculture's (USDA) Quality Monitor ng Program (QMP) for olive oil. In particular please provide any and all documents including but not limited to policies procedures standards guidelines manuals memoranda and other records relating to: 1. Past and current participants of the QMP for olive oil; 2. QMP policies procedures criteria and standards for sampling testing inspect ng and grading olive oil; 3. Results and findings from olive oil sampling testing inspection and grading under the QMP; 4. Grading determinations for olive oil including all documents relating to USDA Agricultural Market ng Service QMP's decision making process and data to support ts determinat ons; 5. Inspections including plant v sals of olive oil producers under the QMP; and 6. Findings based on inspections of olive oil producers under the QMP.	-	-
6/5/2018	2018-AMS-04427-F	Perkins Chiana	-	See attached request for language. Asking for 20 years of Packers and Stockyards investigations as well as information related to an assault and murder at Peco Foods Inc.	2/5/2019	Granted/Denied in Part
6/7/2018	2018-AMS-04455-F	Houze-Benson Elysa	Santa Cruz Bromwood and Cannon	Any and all employment records including but not limited to earnings profits commissions bonuses business income salary payroll attendance health records workers' compensation claims medical information employment applications job performance evaluations date of hire date and reason for termination personnel records and records related to employment or employee benefits including any and all W2's and/or 1099's regarding (b) (6) (b) (6) with SS# (b) (6). Records from 10/01/1999 to the present including but not limited to work schedules time sheets payroll records attendance medical leave disability claims or workers' compensation claims.	7/13/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
6/8/2018	2018-AMS-04467-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request directed to the Cattleman's Beef Promotion and Research Board for: 1. All records mentioning or referring to former AEB president and CEO Joanne Ivy's order for the destruction of emails and other records pertaining to Hampton Creek/Just Mayo. 2. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's investigation of Joanne Ivy's order for document destruction 3. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's recovery of Joanne Ivy's deleted emails. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/201 To 6/8/2018)	7/10/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
6/8/2018	2018-AMS-04468-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request directed to the American Egg Board for: 1. All records mentioning or referring to former AEB president and CEO Joanne Ivy's order for the destruction of emails and other records pertaining to Hampton Creek/Just Mayo. 2. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's investigation of Joanne Ivy's order for document destruction 3. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's recovery of Joanne Ivy's deleted emails. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/201 To 6/8/2018)	2/19/2019	Other Reasons - No Records
6/8/2018	2018-AMS-04469-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request directed to the American Lamb Board for: 1. All records mentioning or referring to former AEB president and CEO Joanne Ivy's order for the destruction of emails and other records pertaining to Hampton Creek/Just Mayo. 2. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's investigation of Joanne Ivy's order for document destruction 3. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's recovery of Joanne Ivy's deleted emails. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/201 To 6/8/2018)	6/25/2018	Other Reasons - No Records

6/8/2018	2018-AMS-04472-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request directed to the National Pork Board for: 1. All records mentioning or referring to former AEB president and CEO Joanne Ivy's order for the destruction of emails and other records pertaining to Hampton Creek/Just Mayo. 2. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's investigation of Joanne Ivy's order for document destruction 3. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's recovery of Joanne Ivy's deleted emails. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/201 To 6/8/2018)	6/25/2018	Granted in Full
6/8/2018	2018-AMS-04473-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request directed to the Fluid Milk Processor's Promotion Board for: 1. All records mentioning or referring to former AEB president and CEO Joanne Ivy's order for the destruction of emails and other records pertaining to Hampton Creek/Just Mayo. 2. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's investigation of Joanne Ivy's order for document destruction 3. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's recovery of Joanne Ivy's deleted emails. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/201 To 6/8/2018)	7/10/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
6/8/2018	2018-AMS-04474-F	Shapiro Ryan	Property of the People	Request directed to the Dairy Research and Promotion Program for: 1. All records mentioning or referring to former AEB president and CEO Joanne Ivy's order for the destruction of emails and other records pertaining to Hampton Creek/Just Mayo. 2. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's investigation of Joanne Ivy's order for document destruction 3. All records mentioning or referring to AMS/USDA's recovery of Joanne Ivy's deleted emails. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/201 To 6/8/2018)	7/10/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
6/12/2018	2018-AMS-04516-F	Rogers Luanne	Meurs Law Firm	Provide copies of all documents contained in or relating to the following reparations actions: 1. File PACA S-R-2017-388 - complaint filed by Green Earth Produce Trading Inc. complainant against International Marketing Inc. respondent 2. File PACA S-R-2018-93 - complaint filed by International Marketing Inc. complainant against Green Earth Produce Trading Inc. respondent 3. The reparations proceeding regarding the complaint filed by International Marketing Inc. complainant against Fresh Direct Sales Inc. respondent.	7/13/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
6/1 /2018	2018-AMS-04567-F	Hosangadi Divya	Johns Hopkins Center for Health Security	Requesting Current Continuity of Operations Plans: 01-200 to Present Requesting all continuity of operations plans for the Agricultural Marketing Service and its component organizations. If those plans are determined to be exempt from FOIA disclosure I request lists of primary mission essential functions (PMEF) for the Agricultural Marketing Service and its component organizations. Federal Preparedness Circular 65 requires that departments and agencies maintain lists of PMEFs as part of their continuity of operations plans. Records to be used in educational/research pursuits associated with the Johns Hopkins Bloomberg School of Public Health (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/200 To 06/1 /2018)	7/15/2019	Granted in Full
6/18/2018	2018-AMS-04601-F	Whited Charles	Murphy Rogers Sloss and Gambel	Please note that we are acting on behalf of the Owners of the M/V "ORIENT TARGET" who we understand are an interested party to the sale. The vessel loaded a cargo of Yellow Corn at the Cargill Grain Elevator Westwego Louisiana on or about 15th June 2018 for Tunisia. We therefore request as an interested party to the sale and pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act that you forward to our office a copy of any documents in your file(s) that relate to this Yellow Corn cargo including but not limited to the following documents: 1. Official Export Inspection Certificate(s); 2. Loading Order(s); 3. Inspection Log(s); Grain Sample Ticket(s); 5. Official Grain Weight Certificate(s); 6. Weight Loading Log(s); 7. Official Stowage Examination Certificate(s); 8. Any Moisture / Attestation test results including the Moisture Log Determination Sheet - MOTOMCO moisture meter record sheet; 9. Phytosanitary Certificate; 10. Stowage Plan; 11. Inspection Report - Insects in Grain; 12. Service Performed Report; 13. Certificate of Cleanliness of National Cargo Bureau Inc.; 14. Stowage Examination Worksheet; 15. Notice of Readiness; 16. Correction Log for Grain Spills; 17. Ship Inspection Results Worksheet and any other documents which discuss the condition of the vessel's holds prior to / at the time of loading; 18. Any other document(s) prepared by the USDA / FGIS / GIPSA in respect of this loading / shipment; 19. Any other document(s) prepared by any other parties in respect of this loading / shipment. We look forward to receiving the requested documents / information. (Date Range for Record Search: From 6/15/2018 To 6/18/2018)	7/23/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
6/20/2018	2018-AMS-04658-F	Ballantine Edward	Policy Data Institute	Any and all FOIA and/or analogous Public Records requests internal emails memorandum and other correspondence to and from the following organizations (or any employees representing the following organizations) since Jan 1 2016 - OpenTheBooks - American Transparency - Adam Andrzejewski (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2016 To 6/20/2018)	7/13/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
6/20/2018	2018-AMS-04667-F	Hanlon Jonathan	-	Any and all complaints filed with the USDA from consumers businesses government agencies against Calavo Growers (and its subsidiaries Calavo Growers de Mexico Avocados de Jalisco) from 01/01/2017 thru 6/20/2018. And any and all correspondence from the USDA to Calavo Growers (or above named subsidiaries) related to potential or actual violations of USDA rules/laws/statutes dated 01/01/17 thru 06/20/18. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2017 To 06/20/2018)	7/20/2018	Denied in Full
6/21/2018	2018-AMS-04696-F	Wilson Keely	Rainey Kizer Reviere & Bell PLC	Any and all personnel employment workers' compensation files FMLA and payroll records maintained by your company related to the employment of (b) (6) DOB (b) (6) SSN (b) (6) records should not be released for all applications; evaluations; disciplinary actions; termination documents; if any; and payroll information during his employment with your facility.	8/2 /2018	Granted/Denied in Part

6/22/2018	2018-AMS-04699-F	Gelman, Jeremy	UNR - Department of Political Science	To Whom It May Concern: This is a request under the Freedom of Information Act. I request records or logs relating to technical drafting assistance (TA) provided by the Agricultural Marketing Service to Congress for bills introduced in Congress from January 1, 2013 to December 31, 2017. Specifically, I seek which bills received TA from AMS and which members of Congress (or committee, if applicable) requested the TA. Technical drafting assistance is advice provided by executive branch entities such as departments or agencies to members of Congress on draft legislation submitted to the executive branch by members of the legislative branch. Per OMB Circular A-19, TA requests are kept by agencies and are often sent to OMB. In some cases, TA is provided on legislation that is never introduced in Congress. I recognize such bills fall under Exemption 5, as this TA is predecisional and I do not request records relating to any legislation that was not eventually introduced as a bill. Moreover, I do not request any records that reveal any specific predecisional communication between the executive and legislative branch. This request only seeks information for whether there was contact between Congress and the executive branch and on which piece of publicly available legislation. For each instance of TA, I seek the following information: 1. The bill number or other identifying material, such as the short title, that connects the draft legislation to the introduced bill; 2. The member of Congress or committee that requested the TA; 3. Letters sent from AMS to OMB informing OMB the agency was providing TA on a given bill. To help determine my status to assess fees, you should		-
6/22/2018	2018-AMS-04702-F	Fassett, Mary	McCarron & D'ess	I hereby request electronic copies of the following documents in the Department's possession regarding any P-ACA license applied for and issued to Collazo Produce, Inc.: 1.) The initial application for license of Collazo Produce, Inc. with Oscar N. Collazo identified as a principal; 2.) Any renewal applications for license of Collazo Produce, Inc. with Oscar N. Collazo identified as a principal; 3.) The initial application for Collazo Produce, Inc. with Juan Casto identified as a principal; 4.) Any renewal application for license of Collazo Produce, Inc. with Juan Castillo identified as a principal; and 5.) Any other sufficient or active P-ACA licenses with Oscar N. Collazo identified as a principal.	7/23/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
6/22/2018	2018-AMS-04737-F	Mower, Lawrence	The Tampa Bay Times	Any and all correspondence from the office of U.S. Rep. Adam Putnam from Jan. 3, 2001 to Jan. 3, 2011. If there are records that are immediately available, I ask that they be provided first. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/03/2001 To 01/03/2011)	7/31/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
6/25/2018	2018-AMS-04767-F	Harrison, Todd	Venable LLP	copies of any and all documents containing the following information: Full and complete records concerning any and all documents and communications upon which USDA based its conclusions in the attached Complaint Course Notice, attached hereto as Exhibit 1 and decide on to close the complaints filed on January 19, 2018 against Origenetics and Garden of Life (USDA file numbers NGPC-100018 and NGPC-09918 respectively). Full and complete records pertaining to any and all investigations, inquiries and reviews reflecting that the "ingredients in the (Origenetics and Garden of Life) products have been reviewed for compliance by the operations USDA accredited certifying agents" as asserted in Exhibit 1. Full and complete records pertaining to any and all investigations, inquiries and reviews reflecting that the laboratory analyses related to Garden of Life vitamin tablets provided by Venable "do[] not reflect the percentage (by weight) of fossil-based carbon in the product" as the calculation is not based on total biomass of the sample" as asserted in Exhibit 1. Full and complete records pertaining to any and all investigations, inquiries and reviews reflecting that laboratory analyses related to Origenetics and Garden of Life samples provided by Venable that "detection of fossil-based carbon is not necessarily evidence of a synthetic carbon.	9/19/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
6/25/2018	2018-AMS-04779-F	Lulka, David	-	The specific information I am requesting is as follows: 1) Internal communications (including but not limited to memos and emails) within the Agricultural Marketing Service and/or the Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations mentioning any difficulties encountered by Native American-owned companies or Native American tribes who have been awarded USDA contracts for procurement and processing of bison products; 2) Communications (including but not limited to emails) between Native American vendors/Native American Tribes and the Agricultural Marketing Service/Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations mentioning difficulties meeting the written requirements of government contracts awarded for the procurement of bison products; 3) Documents (including but not limited to memos and emails) generated by the Agricultural Marketing Service and Food Distribution Program on Indian Reservations indicating reasons for inadequate performance and/or incomplete procurement of bison products. I am not requesting documents that specify contract requirements (such as AMS Announcements). Additionally, I am not requesting documents that include previous communications between myself and the relevant subdivisions within the USDA (which I already possess.)	11/26/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
6/27/2018	2018-AMS-04822-F	Singh, Gunita	Property of the People	Request for the following Cattleman's Beef Promotion and Research Board records: 1. All records mentioning or referring to Edelman including but not limited to correspondence from Edelman to the Board; 2. All records mentioning or referring to Weber Shandwick including but not limited to correspondence from Weber Shandwick to the Board; 3. All records mentioning or referring to SLK Strategies including but not limited to correspondence from SLK Strategies to the Board; 4. All records mentioning or referring to the Food and Agriculture Sector Coordinating Council (FASCC). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/1987 To 6/27/2018)	3/7/2019	Granted/Denied in Part

6/27/2018	2018-AMS-04824-F	Singh, Gunita	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the American Egg Board: 1. All records mentioning or referring to Edelman including but not limited to correspondence from Edelman to the Board. 2. All records mentioning or referring to Weber Shandwick including but not limited to correspondence from Weber Shandwick to the Board. 3. All records mentioning or referring to SLK Strategies including but not limited to correspondence from SLK Strategies to the Board. 4. All records mentioning or referring to the Food and Agriculture Sector Coordinating Council (FASCC). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/1987 To 6/27/2018)	-	-
6/27/2018	2018-AMS-04825-F	Singh, Gunita	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the American Lamb Board: 1. All records mentioning or referring to Edelman including but not limited to correspondence from Edelman to the Board. 2. All records mentioning or referring to Weber Shandwick including but not limited to correspondence from Weber Shandwick to the Board. 3. All records mentioning or referring to SLK Strategies including but not limited to correspondence from SLK Strategies to the Board. 4. All records mentioning or referring to the Food and Agriculture Sector Coordinating Council (FASCC). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/1987 To 6/27/2018)	3/7/2019	Granted/Denied in Part
6/27/2018	2018-AMS-04826-F	Singh, Gunita	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the National Pork Board: 1. All records mentioning or referring to Edelman including but not limited to correspondence from Edelman to the Board. 2. All records mentioning or referring to Weber Shandwick including but not limited to correspondence from Weber Shandwick to the Board. 3. All records mentioning or referring to SLK Strategies including but not limited to correspondence from SLK Strategies to the Board. 4. All records mentioning or referring to the Food and Agriculture Sector Coordinating Council (FASCC). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/1987 To 6/27/2018)	-	-
6/27/2018	2018-AMS-04827-F	Singh, Gunita	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the Dairy Research and Promotion Program: 1. All records mentioning or referring to Edelman including but not limited to correspondence from Edelman to the Board. 2. All records mentioning or referring to Weber Shandwick including but not limited to correspondence from Weber Shandwick to the Board. 3. All records mentioning or referring to SLK Strategies including but not limited to correspondence from SLK Strategies to the Board. 4. All records mentioning or referring to the Food and Agriculture Sector Coordinating Council (FASCC). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/1987 To 6/27/2018)	-	-
6/27/2018	2018-AMS-04829-F	Singh, Gunita	Property of the People	Request for the following records from the Fluid Milk Processor's Promotion Board: 1. All records mentioning or referring to Edelman including but not limited to correspondence from Edelman to the Board. 2. All records mentioning or referring to Weber Shandwick including but not limited to correspondence from Weber Shandwick to the Board. 3. All records mentioning or referring to SLK Strategies including but not limited to correspondence from SLK Strategies to the Board. 4. All records mentioning or referring to the Food and Agriculture Sector Coordinating Council (FASCC). (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/1987 To 6/27/2018)	-	-
6/28/2018	2018-AMS-04844-F	Gongloff, Grant	-	Requesting all information available for case NCPIC 36-16 Hunter Brookes. Please provide electronic copies of all information including name, contact information, IP address, format of individual or company that filed the request. Thank you. (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2018 To 06/28/2018)	9/12/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
7/2/2018	2018-AMS-05095-F	Byzowski, Elaine	Hagens Berman Sobol Shapiro LLP	1. Any and all documents relating to the Organic Certification for production of shell eggs for M.G. Waldbaum Company a/b/n Willamette Egg Farms a/b/n Nest Fresh Egg Farms at USDA Plant Number 1622 located at 31350 S. Hwy 170 Canby, Oregon 97013 from 2011 to the present. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/2011 To 7/2/2018)	7/31/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
7/2/2018	2018-AMS-05099-F	Byzowski, Elaine	Hagens Berman Sobol Shapiro LLP	Any and all documents relating to the Organic Certification for production of shell eggs for Berton County Foods LLC at USDA Plant Number 1382 located at 15080 Russell Road, Siom Springs, AR 72761 from 2011 to the present. We understand that this facility is certified organic for both processing/handling and production of organic shell eggs by Quality Certification Services (its client identifiers are 203 7P and 2021 L respectively). We are only interested in any documents relating to certification for organic shell egg product on (2021 L).	8/10/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
7/2/2018	2018-AMS-04894-F	Reed, R. Jason	-	This office represents Western Pacific Produce, Inc. in the above-referenced matter. In connection with this matter, we are requesting copies of the below-listed documents maintained by the United States Department of Agriculture Agricultural Marketing Service that relate to Emer Provisions Galtre, Inc. ("EPG") PACA License no. 20180860 and Write On Marketing, Inc. ("WOM") PACA license no. 20171025. This request is being made pursuant to 5 U.S.C. §552. We are requesting copies of any and all documents including copies of all applications all licenses issued, work notes, all e-mail correspondence exchanged between any USDA personnel and the applicant regarding the above-referenced PACA license applications and any and all other correspondence, and complaints or reparation matters relating to submitted by or against or involving either EPG or WOM and the Reported Principals for each company, Rudy Gomez Bravo and Arnulfo Diaz, which are maintained by PACA relating to either of these companies or these Reported Principals. These documents are necessary to assist Western Pacific Produce, Inc. to determine the scope and extent of the Licensees' liability to it for payment due for perishable agricultural commodities sold by Western Pacific Produce, Inc. and which remains unpaid.	7/31/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
7/5/2018	2018-AMS-04932-F	Cole, Jason	The Cornucopia Institute	I am requesting all notes and/or minutes for all National Organic Standards Board (NOSB) subcommittee meetings since January 1, 2018. Additionally, I request all documents distributed to NOSB members, or circulated between members during the referenced time period.	10/26/2018	Granted/Denied in Part

7/6/2018	2018-AMS-04957-F	Siegel Emily	NBC News	I would like to request any and all documents associated with settlement agreements for the following four operations (I've included the name of the operation and the Operat on ID): BOEHNING DAIRY LLC 3510 60 35 BOEHNING DAIRY LLC 3510 60520 County Line Dairy LLC 3510721781 HILLTOP DAIRY LLC 351059599 (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2007 To 07/06/2018)	8/16/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
7/9/2018	2018-AMS-04996-F	Klundt Scott	Quarles & Brady LLP	The term "You" shall refer collectively to the United States Department of Agriculture Packers & Stockyards Divis on including any of its representatives, agents or employees. The term "MSY" shall refer to Marana Stockyard & Livestock Market Inc. including any of its representatives, agents or employees. The term "MSY Custodial Account" shall refer to the Marana Stockyard and Livestock Market Inc. Custodial Account for Shippers Proceeds Account Number [REDACTED] Any and all audits or conducted of the MSY Custodial Account during the time period from January 1 2015 through August 31 2017. Any and all annual reports submitted by MSY to You during the years 2015 through 2017. Any and all reports not ces violations or other agency actions pertaining to MSY and issued by You during the years 2015 through 2017.	8/31/2018	Other Reasons - Request Withdrawn
7/10/2018	2018-AMS-05019-F	Lynch H. John	-	I would like to use FOIA to have the Des Moines office of the GISPA release the dollar amount of reimbursement that Lynch Livestock had to pay pork producers after being found guilty in 2017	10/17/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
7/11/2018	2018-AMS-05087-F	Benesch Melan e	Environmental Working Group	Under the provisions of the federal Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 5 U.S.C. § 552 et seq and corresponding United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) regulations 7 C.F.R. Part 1 the Environmental Working Group (EWG) hereby requests copies of the following records located within USDA: 1. All records dating from July 1 2016 to present of communications between USDA staff including Former Secretary Tom Vilsack Secretary Sonny Perdue and interested stakeholders including non-governmental organizations businesses trade organizations individuals and members of Congress regarding the National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard and procedures under consideration by the Agency. 2. All records dating from July 1 2016 to present of communication between USDA staff including Secretary Perdue and interested stakeholders including non-governmental organizations businesses trade organizations individuals and members of Congress relating to the labeling of bio-or genetically-engineered or modified foods (GE or GMO). 3. All received "input" and related records submitted from July 1 2016 to present in response to the USDA's thirty (30) "Proposed Rule Questions Under Consideration" on the National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Standard 5.76 available at agency's public webpage: https://www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/gmo-questions . This request does not apply to those records that are already part of the public record. Please provide all responsive records from July 1 2016 to the date the search is conducted. EWG does not wish to obtain copies of any news or press clippings that are otherwise publicly available: https://www.ams.usda.gov/rules-regulations/gmo-questions	-	-
7/11/2018	2018-AMS-05093-F	[REDACTED]	Synergy Transworld Inc.	I am urgently requesting a copy of the investigation regarding a complaint I made to the USDA OIG Hotline file number [REDACTED] reviewed by the OIG Southeast Region Investigation Office.	7/31/2018	Granted in Full
7/16/2018	2018-AMS-05161-F	Bradley Mark	-	I would like to request the following document under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA): The latest version of the draft organic aquaculture standards as submitted to OMB for clearance. At the time of my retirement from AMS I believe this document was stored on the Standards Division section of the NOP server under Practice Standards>>>Aquaculture>>>Proposed Rule>>>Clearance. In a June 25 2018 letter to National Aquaculture Executive Paul Zajlock Jennifer Tucker stated that the draft standards would not be subject to release under FOIA as "pre-decisional and deliberative." I believe this determination is incorrect. First the document is no longer in active rulemaking and AMS has no intention to proceed further so it would not be "deliberative." Secondly the document would not be "pre-decisional" because AMS has decided to not go further with rulemaking on this matter. Therefore the document should be subject to release. Finally this document was prepared in collaboration with the National Organic Standards Board (NOSB) and an Aquaculture Working Group of aquaculture industry representatives. Since USDA has determined that it will not continue to work on this as a proposed rule there is no reason that AMS should seek to prevent its release under FOIA. I am not asking for emails normally protected under the (b)(5) exemption; just the draft itself. The purpose of asking for the release of this document is so that the aquaculture industry may better understand USDA's thinking on this matter up to the point where it stopped working on the project and so that the industry may proceed with developing non-governmental standards for organic aquaculture. This is also	7/31/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
7/16/2018	2018-AMS-05117-F	Choi Candice	-	Under the Freedom of Information Act I request copies of the following public documents from Jan. 1 2003 to the present: -All emails containing the search term "Meatless Mondays" in the stored email system of the National Pork Board. -All emails containing the search term "Meatless Mondays" in the stored email system of the American Lamb Board. I request that searches for the documents outlined above be conducted by the FOIA IT or other outside office rather than by the agricultural boards in question. Please provide the responsive documents in an electronic format. I request a fee waiver as I am making this request in my capacity as a reporter for the Associated Press. If you have any questions about this request please don't hesitate to contact me at cchoi@ap.org or (212) 621-7267. Sincerely Candice Choi (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2003 To 09/01/2018)	10/9/2018	Granted/Denied in Part

7/16/2018	2018-AMS-05122-F	Ross Anne	The Cornucopia Institute	Pursuant to the Federal Freedom of Information Act 5 U.S.C. § 552 I am requesting all investigative files related to the organic certification of the following entities: 1) Tiyaqi Agro G da Sanayi Ve Tic Ltd. Sti. 2) Diasub FZE 3) Azarof Nikolay Viktorovich 4) Tajmisha-Astiyk LLP 5) WeTrade Agro SRL 6) Sergey Bukin 7) Valeriy Victorovich Borisov 8) Tiryaki RU Ltd. 9) Zeri-Pen Ltd. Company 10) Sergey Vladimirovich 11) K.H. Filimonov 12) Nurkasin Amirov 13) Abugali Nursetlov 14) Amir Dis Ticaret Tar m Ve Yen Sanayi I Limited Sirketi (Coprocessor Tiyaqi) This request includes but is not limited to files related to any surrender of organic certification notices of noncompliance proposed suspensions suspensions proposed revocations or any other enforcement actions complaints correspondence and reports related to these entities. This request covers all correspondence documents and reports concerning these entities their certified operations and all correspondence between the NOP and each entity's accredited certifier related to the aforementioned entities past or present.	11/5/2018	Denied n Full
7/16/2018	2018-AMS-05123-F	(b) (5), (b) (7) (C)	-	A paper from an employee of Cooper Consolidation in Darrow LA. He wrote (b) (5), (b) (7) (C) Usda/GIPSA in Distrehan LA had me write a sworn statement telling what happened. (b) (5), (b) (7) (C) read from a paper what the man accused me of saying and his name. This happened on June 6 2018 in the office of (b) (5), (b) (7) (C).	10/30/2018	Denied n Full
7/17/2018	2018-AMS-05160-F	Polgar Lynn	Clark Hill PLC	All contracts and agreements entered into with Foresee Results Inc. including all schedules modifications extensions riders and renewals. All invoices issued by Foresee Results Inc. All communications between United States Department of Agriculture specifically the Food and Nutrition Service and Foresee Results Inc. that reference "American Customer Satisfaction Index LLC" or "ACSI." All documents describing services performed or to be performed by Foresee Results Inc. that reference "American Customer Satisfaction Index LLC" or "ACSI." All documents describing services that can be performed by Foresee Results Inc. that reference "American Customer Satisfaction Index LLC" or "ACSI."	10/30/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
7/18/2018	2018-AMS-05188-F	Swartz Amanda	The Wick Law Office LLC	I represent (b) (6) in employment-related matter. I write to (b) (6) Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request on behalf of my client. On January 15 2018 (b) (6) earned that Agriculture-Marketing Service (AMS) employee (b) (6) falsely reported to AMS that he had sexually harassed her. AMS Compliance then conducted an investigation of (b) (6) allegations which included a lengthy interview with (b) (6) on January 18 2018. Please consider this a FOIA request filed on behalf of (b) (6) for all documents related to the AMS Compliance investigation conducted with regard to a legal ops of sexual harassment made against (b) (6) to include all email reports letters notes memorandums and other documentation that was created compiled reviewed or collected during or after the referral or subsequent investigation. (b) (6) is willing to pay related fees up to \$25.00.	8/31/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
7/25/2018	2018-AMS-05277-F	Whited Charles	Murphy Rogers Sloss and Gambel	Please note that we are acting on behalf of the Owners of the M/V "TOSBA" who we understand are an interested party to the sale. The vessel loaded a cargo of DDGS (Distillers Dried Grains with Solubles) at the ADM Grain Elevator Distrehan Louisiana on or about 26 August 2015 for China. We therefore request as an interested party to the sale and pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act that you forward to our office a copy of any documents in your file(s) that relate to this DDGS cargo including but not limited to the following documents: 1. Official Export Inspection Certificate(s); 2. Loading Order(s); 3. Inspection Log(s); 4. Grain Sample Ticket(s); 5. Official Grain Weight Certificate(s); 6. Weight Loading Log(s); 7. Official Stowage Examination Certificate(s); 8. Any Moisture / Aflatoxin test results including the Moisture Log Determination Sheet; 9. MOTOMCO moisture meter record sheet; 10. Phytosanitary Certificate; 11. Stowage Plan; 12. Service Inspection Report; 13. Insects in Grain; 14. Service Performed Report; 15. Certificate of Cleanliness of National Cargo Bureau Inc.; 16. Stowage Examination Worksheet; 17. Certificate of Readiness; 18. Correct on Log for Grain Spills; 19. Ship Inspection Results Worksheet and any other documents which discuss the condition of the vessel's holds prior to / at the time of loading; 20. Any other document(s) prepared by the USDA / FGIS / GIPSA in respect of this loading / shipment; 21. Any other document(s) prepared by any other parties in respect of this loading / shipment. (Date Range for Record Search: From 8/26/2015 To 8/26/2015)	8/30/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
7/27/2018	2018-AMS-05312-F	Singh Gunita	Property of the People	Any and all records mentioning or referring to the NYC pork PR event featuring the nutrition and environmental profiles of pork that potentially occurred after October of 2017. (Date Range for Record Search: From 10/1/2017 To 7/27/2018)	10/5/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
8/1/2018	2018-AMS-05196-F	Claramella CJ	Via MuckRock	I hereby request the following records: - All communications to or from appointed members of the National Dairy Promotion & Research Board containing "soy" or "amond" between Jan. 1 2017 and July 18 2018.	7/2 /2019	Denied n Full
8/3/2018	2018-AMS-05412-F	Ruiz Rebecca	New York Times	Request for copies of (or access to) documents showing: - Any federal grants or contracts awarded to Southwest Key Programs Inc. a national nonprofit headquartered in Austin Tex. by the Department of Agriculture since Jan. 1 1987. - Please provide a yearly breakdown of the financial amount(s) of the grants and contracts and the dates on which they were awarded. (Date Range for Record Search: From 1/1/1987 To 8/3/2018)	8/29/2018	Other Reasons - No Records
8/8/2018	2018-AMS-05483-F	Winebarger Lisa	The Greenfield Project	Section 32 surplus removal purchases made or planned between January 2017 and present (see attached for details) (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2017 To 08/07/2018)	-	-
8/8/2018	2018-AMS-05482-F	Winebarger Lisa	The Greenfield Project	Removal of defective commodities with Section 32 funds between January 2008 and present (see attached) (Date Range for Record Search: From 01/01/2008 To 08/07/2018)	-	-

8/8/2018	2018-AMS-05505-F	Kramer Samantha	-	Timeframe of records: August 17, 2017 through August 8, 2018. Records relating to grant 16RPMQ0050 including: Final reports, Final SF - 28 (if submitted), Final SF - 25 (if submitted), Final Expense Summary, Records of any returned funds. All email correspondence between Christy Wipperfurth, the grant administrator, USDA employees and the grantee the Pulaski County Sheltered Workshop dated August 17, 2017, or later. Any investigative notes, documents or emails relating to an investigation or related documents. (Date Range for Record Search: From 08/17/2017 To 08/08/2018)	10/26/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
8/15/2018	2018-AMS-05645-F	Bailey Clayton	Bailey Brauer PLLC	certified copy of the complete file maintained by the Grain Inspection, Packers & Stockyards Administration and/or Agricultural Marketing Service of the United States Department of Agriculture (collectively "AMS") in connection with any investigation of Pilgrim's Athens Georgia complex from 201 through 2018. I need a certified copy of the complete investigation and findings from the investigation. Additionally pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act please consider this letter as our firm's request for a certified copy of all documents provided by AMS to the law firm of Hall Booth Smith P.C. in connection with any Freedom of Information Act request submitted by that law firm relating to any investigation of Pilgrim's Pride Corporation's Athens Georgia complex. For your convenience enclosed is correspondence from AMS referencing the Freedom of Information Act request by Joel L. McKie of Hall Booth Smith P.C. In short, I would like a duplicate copy of everything AMS provided to Mr. McKie and in the same manner the documents were provided to Mr. McKie that is reflecting all redactions. Further, Pilgrim's Pride Corporation hereby requests a copy of all audio or video recordings of Pilgrim's Pride Corporation's employees interviewed in connection with any investigation of Pilgrim's Athens Georgia complex from 201 through 2018. During interviews of Pilgrim's employees in 2017, AMS investigative attorneys Wayne Barford and William Braks purportedly recorded numerous interviews of Pilgrim's representatives. The recorded interviews involved several various Pilgrim's service technicians, the complex manager, the live	12/21/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
8/15/2018	2018-AMS-05646-F	Barrera Rosa	Stokes Law Office LLP	In a certain disciplinary proceedings against Coram Deo we are informed the USDA has issued a determination that (b) (5) DPP is not a responsibly connected person. I am writing to request a copy of the determination and any and all communications Respondent (b) (5) DPP had with the Department.	9/18/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
8/16/2018	2018-AMS-05656-F	Vang Teng	California Wheat Commission	We would like to have the 2018 HRW grading data for this year's crop once harvested is it done. We do not need any region specific identifying information from you. I am only interested the dates from May 1st to End of July (end of harvest).	9/18/2018	Granted in Full
8/17/2018	2018-AMS-05671-F	Ijams Michael	Berliner Cohen LLP	1. All documents relating to any and all complaints written or verbal that the Almond Board the Marketing Service and/or the USDA received in regard to Van Vleet's purported delivery of inedible almond products into human consumption channels or that otherwise relate to the Almond Board's revocation letter dated September 29, 2016 (copy attached) including without limitation: a. A copy of each complaint and the case file related thereto; b. Documents disclosing the date and time each complaint was made; c. Documents identifying any and all persons who issued each complaint; d. Documents identifying the specific Almond Board the Marketing Service and/or the USDA agency or division where each complaint was originally made; e. Documents identifying the Almond Board the Marketing Service and/or the USDA personnel who originally received and processed each complaint; f. Intake notes, memoranda or reports regarding each complaint; and g. Documents identifying the Almond Board the Marketing Service and/or the USDA personnel who prepared any intake notes, memoranda or reports regarding each complaint. 2. All documents regarding the Almond Board the Marketing Service and/or the USDA's investigation of Van Vleet's purported delivery of inedible almond products into human consumption channels or other conduct alleged in the Almond Board's revocation letter dated September 29, 2016 and of any and all complaints received relating thereto including without limitation: a. Documents identifying any and all persons substantively involved in conducting the investigation including independent consultants and experts; b. Documents concerning the scope of the investigation.	11/28/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
8/20/2018	2018-AMS-05694-F	Fay Whitney	Attorney General of Missouri	1) All documentation of a USDA/GIPSA investigation into allegations that Gavilon Grain LLP ("Gavilon") personnel were impeding investigation and interfering with grain inspection personnel from the MDA Grain Inspection Program Service in 2013 or 2014. This investigation appears to have been initiated by a report of such activity made in February 2011 and was concluded in August 2011. Specific bad actors identified during the investigation were (b) (6), (b) (7)(C), (b) (7)(D), and (b) (7)(F). On August 27, 2011, former USDA Division Director Samantha Simon issued a letter to Gavilon. Regional Vice President Brian Lary, in which she detailed what appears to be USDA's final findings about the investigation. 2) Copies of any depositions taken of a MDA employee named (b) (6), (b) (7)(C) in furtherance of the above-described investigation.	10/19/2018	Granted/Denied in Part
8/21/2018	2018-AMS-05733-F	Perkowski Mateusz	-	a copy of the complaint against Stellar Certification Services that led the company to relinquish its accreditation as an organic certifier, as well as all written communications between USDA's National Organic Program and Stellar following the complaint.	3/19/2019	Granted/Denied in Part
8/22/2018	2018-AMS-05734-F	Choi Candace	-	All electronic and written records pertaining to the USDA's development of the "proposed symbols" compares could use on packaging to disclose the presence of bioengineered ingredients in compliance with the National Bioengineered Food Disclosure Law. Please note this request is specifically for any emails and other communications related only to the development of the "proposed visual symbols" as an alternative method of disclosure. This includes any and all communications AMS staff had internally or with outside parties regarding the development of the symbols, as well as feedback about the proposed symbols after they were publicly released.	-	-

9/28/2018	2018-AMS-06367-F	Hudson W.	.	I am seeking a detailed listing of the contacts awarded to Stratas Foods for vegetable oil in what ever format is most expeditious and is the least burdensome. I do not need the hard copy of each award yet I do need to be able to identify each award individually. ***Requestor clarified that he wants "contracts" and not "contacts." (Date Range for Record Search: From: /1/201 To 3/31/2018)	10/2 /2018	Other Reasons - Records sought are currently available at a USDA site.
9/28/2018	2018-AMS-06369-F	Besnyl Glenn	National Commercial Recovery Inc.	Request for a certified copy of the original PACA license application all renewals and/or reinstatements and the most recent PACA license print out listing the licensee and license details for: Jack N. Trupiano License No. 201400074.	11/9/2018	Granted/Denied in Part

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